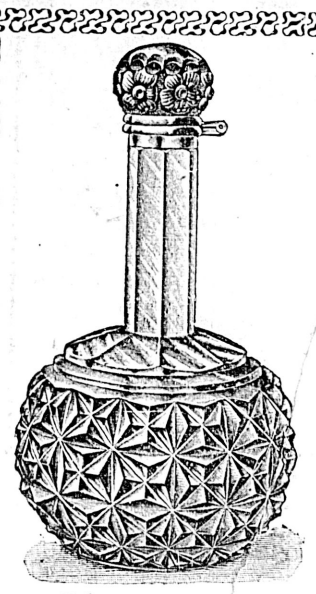
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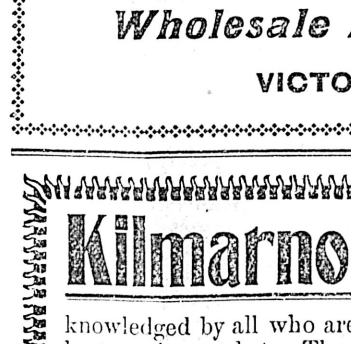
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Transvaal Blue Book

Commission Recommends That Dynamite Monopoly Be Not Recognized.

Says Dr. Leyds and Others Received Bribes of Shares and Money.

Railway Concessions Must Cease Though Shareholders Should Be Considered.

London, June 11.—The blue book was issued today containing the report of the Transvaal Concessions commission. It is clear the commission aver that a state which has annexed to another is not legally bound by any contracts made by the state which has ceased to exist, and that no court of law has jurisdiction to enforce such contracts if the annexing state refuses to recognize them.

The commission recommends that the government decline to recognize the dynamite concessions, and adds that it is satisfied Dr. Leyds and others have received from certain directors shares and financial considerations.

Regarding the Netherlands, South African railroad, the report, while admitting that the concession was legally granted, considers it injurious that the trunk railroad lines should be the monopoly of a single company. The concession should be terminated even if the company's conduct is not open to complaints, but its extraordinary action in the war precludes the possibility of its continuing to exist under British administration.

Discussing the position of the shareholders, the report says the belligerent acts, for which all the shareholders were legally responsible, caused immense damage to Great Britain, Cape Colony and Natal. The British government as an act of grace, may show some consideration to the shareholders, but the commission consider this should be postponed till the shareholders have exhausted the remedies open to them against the directors, and until the damage done by the company is made good. The commission recommends the debenture holders to full recognition.

VISITORS TO IRELAND.

Mr. Murphy Does Not Want Them Searched for Pocket Pistols.

London, June 11.—In the House of Commons today, John Murphy asked Mr. Wyndham, secretary for Ireland, whether if at the boat race between the University of Pennsylvania and Dublin University at Killarney, in July, he would not direct the police at Queenstown and elsewhere to desist from asking the names of persons and examining the baggage of American visitors bound for Killarney on the plea of searching for arms. Mr. Wyndham replied that the police do not search persons or baggage. Arrivals are politely invited to give their names and destination.

AN ULTIMATUM.

C. P. R. Trackmen Hand in Demand to the President.

Montreal, June 11.—(Special.)—At 9 o'clock this morning the grievance committee of the C. P. R. trackmen presented an ultimatum to President Shaughnessy. The document informed the president that the committee would wait three hours for a reply before taking any action. Just before 12 o'clock President Shaughnessy sent his answer, making an appointment to meet the committee and discuss the questions under dispute at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

TORNADO IN MINNESOTA.

Houses, Trees and Telephone Poles Suffer in Adrian.

Adrian, Minn., June 11.—A tornado swept over Adrian while the inhabitants were still asleep this morning. Thousands of dollars worth of property was destroyed. No lives were lost. One residence was wrecked, and a number of stores, half a dozen barns and outbuildings were wrecked. Trees, telephone and telegraph poles were everywhere destroyed over a large area.

U. S. S. OREGON.

Anchor Chain Broke and Boatswain Was Injured.

Honolulu, June 5.—The U. S. S. Oregon arrived here on May 30 bound from the Orient to San Francisco. When she was dropping her anchor off port, the chain broke, seriously injuring Chief Boatswain Murphy. One leg was broken, and he was dashed against some machinery, causing a dangerous gash on the head.

CAMBRIDGE WRANGLERS.

Two East Indian Brothers Take Good Places.

Cambridge, June 11.—The remarkable feature of the mathematical honors list showed this morning that two brothers named Gama, sons of a native of Bombay, were sixth and seventh wranglers. The senior wrangler is S. Brown of Caius College. There was one woman wrangler, Miss L. M. Reynolds of Newnham.

JUMPED TO DEATH.

Man Drops Into St. Lawrence From Victoria Bridge.

Montreal, June 11.—(Special.)—An unknown man jumped from the top of the centre arch of Victoria bridge, 120 feet above the water yesterday afternoon, and was either killed by the fall or drowned. His body came up once, and floated for about twenty-five yards, and then disappeared beneath the surface.

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SIXTEEN DEAD.

Result of the Explosion at Port Royal Mine, Pennsylvania.

Port Royal, Pa., June 11.—As a result of Monday night's explosion in the Port Royal mines of the Pittsburg Coal Company, 16 persons are dead, seven injured and thousands of dollars' worth of property destroyed. The official list of dead and injured as made public by the coal company's officials tonight follow:

The dead recovered: Wm. McCune, superintendent of the company's mine. A wife and three sons and a daughter survive. Turner Gunsaulus, sr., loader, leaves a widow and several children. Fitz Kruger.

Those still entombed in the mine and known for a certainty to be dead: Wm. Pallison, assistant superintendent of the mine, leaves wife and 5 children. Dennis Warley, foreman of mine No. 1, leaves a wife and 4 children. John Keck, foreman in the mine, leaves a wife and several children. Michael Roy, foreman of Euclid mine, leaves wife and small boy. Bernard Ball, leaves wife and 2 children. Taylor Gunsaulus, jr., leaves a wife. Jerry Daly, leaves wife and child. John Poples, leaves a wife. David James, leaves a wife. John Canto, machine boss, Darra mine. Samuel Hadley, assistant foreman of mine No. 2, leaves a wife and 2 children. Peter Marchando, boss driver, mine No. 1, leaves wife and child. John Stickle, pipeman, No. 3, leaves wife and 3 children.

Injured: Smith, Harry Beveridge, Robert McKenny (pit boss), Charles McCaffery (superintendent Soaper mine), Clarence Settler, Daniel McCullough, Thomas Cleason, badly burned and bruised.

In Imperial Parliament

Lord Cranborne Says Germany Intends Keeping Large Force At Shanghai.

W. R. Cramer Liberal M. P. Heavily Fined for Libelling John Lowles.

London, June 11.—Lord Cranborne, the under foreign secretary, replying to a question in the House of Commons today as to whether Germany meant to maintain a large military force at Shanghai, said the government understood that Germany intended to continue keeping a garrison there. No explanation had been given by Germany as to why she had concluded to follow this policy.

William R. Cramer, the Liberal member of parliament (secretary of the Workmen's Peace Association and of the International Arbitration League), who on the other occasions has presented the President of the United States and congress with memorials in favor of a treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain, was today mulcted by a jury in the King's Bench court in the sum of £750, for libelling John Lowles, former member of parliament. At the last general parliamentary election, Mr. Lowles contested the Haggerstone division of Shoreditch against Mr. Cramer, and the latter a day or two before the election issued pamphlets, which, it was alleged, grossly maligned Mr. Lowles' personal character and financial reputation.

FISHERMEN AND CANNERS

Fraser River Union Will Vote On Saturday On the Revised Offer.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, June 11.—The Fishermen's Union will vote on the revised offer made by the canners yesterday on Saturday next. Although the price per fish remains practically unchanged, it is said that the canners have made other concessions, which will in all probability be the means of an agreement being reached. One of the concessions is said to be the recognition of the Fishermen's Union by the Canners' Association.

Fisheries Inspector Sword has received word from Naas river of an outbreak of smallpox among the Indians. There are 20 cases at present, and it is spreading rapidly.

The Hon. Mr. Tarte's telegram to the city council stating that he would tolerate no interference with public buildings (referring to the unsafe drill shed) from the city council, was referred to last night by the aldermen. Ald. Grant moved, and Ald. Painter seconded, a resolution that Mr. Tarte's telegram be ignored and sent back to him. Better counsel prevailed after deliberation, and Ald. Grant withdrew his motion.

DISHONEST OFFICERS.

U. S. Army Surgeon Confesses Frauds by Himself and Others.

Manila, June 11.—In the trials today of officers of the 43rd regiment on charges of bribery and permitting trade with the closed ports of the southern part of the Island of Leite, Surgeon Dudley Welch confessed and made damaging statements against Capt. Mitchell, Spellman and Lieutenant Delbert R. Jones. Welch refunded a thousand pesonas of his share of the spoils. The president of Maasin (Licte) has been arrested charged with being implicated in the transactions. Agents of Manila firms also appear to have been connected with the acts on which the charges against the prisoners are based.

The act organizing the courts has been passed by the United States Philippine commission. The judge's oath does not include supporting the constitution of the United States. Commissioner Ide, author of the act, opposed its inclusion, and the other commissioners did not insist that it should be included.

CITY VS. PROVINCE.

Charlottetown Declines to Carry Out Prohibition Act.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., June 11.—(Special)—The city council has passed a resolution instructing members of the police force to have nothing to do with the enforcement of the prohibition act. This throws all the responsibility on the government.

By Order Of Court

Forbidden City Was Set Afire as Result of Secret Edict to Burn.

Foreign Ministers at Pekin Have Prospects of Reaching an Agreement.

Majority Express Themselves as Opposed to Referring to the Hague.

Pekin, June 11.—A meeting of the foreign ministers today showed better prospects of their coming to some definite understanding, the majority favoring the acceptance of China's offer of 465,000,000 taels as the amount of the indemnity to be paid to the powers. There was considerable discussion as to how the four per cent. interest could be collected.

Mr. Rockhill will present at the next meeting an expression of the United States desire to finish the business at The Hague. A majority of the ministers confess themselves against the proposition, thinking that within the next ten days everything can be adjusted.

In the meantime, the present military preparations for the departure of the troops and the Chinese intentions regarding the return of the court to Pekin seem premature. The ministers may force a decision in the matters remaining to be adjusted.

Mr. Rockhill has the translation of an edict by the wording of which it seems that the library of the Forbidden City was intentionally set on fire by orders of the court, and was not struck by lightning as was reported by the foreign guards.

The edict orders the destruction of all the archives. The fire must have happened the day after the receipt of the telegraphic edict, although at the time a rumor of the receipt of the edict was denied by Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang.

St. Petersburg, June 11.—The impression prevails in official circles here that the mode of paying the Chinese indemnity will not be settled for a long period, possibly not until the present ministers at Pekin are replaced. It is thought they all would welcome a change of post, and that new men would be readier to settle the differences.

While Russia is now pressing the guarantee loan proposed because the constitutional powers could not guarantee the loan without legislative consent, which would necessitate delay, the plan is not withdrawn. The British provision is not acceptable. Minister Rockhill's arbitration proposition causes some wonder since the mode of payment is hardly considered a suitable issue for a legal determination.

SPANISH CORTES.

This is Last Time Queen Regent Will Open the House.

Madrid, June 11.—The Queen Regent, accompanied by the King, opened the Cortes today. The speech from the throne referred to the fact that this would be the last time she will open parliament as the regency terminates next year. Foreign relations were pronounced to be excellent. The government would devote itself to the cultivation of good relations with the Spanish-American countries. Steps had been taken toward concluding commercial treaties with Argentina and other South American states.

CANADIAN CONSUMPTIVES.

No Longer Allowed to Winter in Colorado or California.

Ottawa, June 11.—(Special.)—Sir James Grant, president of the Canadian association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, has received the information that the order from Washington to refuse immigrants suffering from tuberculosis entrance to the United States, will be interpreted to prevent consumptives from Canada wintering in Colorado and California. He says this should emphasize the necessity for a Canadian sanitarium.

RUBIES SEIZED.

Smuggled Valuables Captured by United States Customs Inspector.

New York, June 11.—Unset rubies to the value of 19,000 francs were seized by the custom house inspector today in a room in the Grand Union hotel occupied by two young Belgians. The rubies were brought to this country by the young men, who were passengers on board the steamship Zeeland, which arrived here May 27 last from Antwerp.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY.

Delegates Arrive in Ottawa for the Opening Today.

Ottawa, Ont., June 11.—(Special.)—Delegates to the Presbyterian General Assembly will arrive tomorrow. In the evening Rev. Dr. Pollock, of Halifax, will preach the annual sermon in St. Andrew's church and immediately after the assembly will elect a new moderator. Rev. Dr. Wardon of Toronto, will likely be elected by acclamation.

ENTERS SUIT.

Professor Steen Asks for Damages Against Archbishop.

Montreal, June 11.—(Special)—Prof. Steen, lately assistant preacher at Christ Church cathedral, has instituted a suit for $5,000 against Archbishop Bond. He asks for the restoration of his rights as an Anglican clergyman of this diocese. His friends have subscribed $16,000 with which to press the case.

BLEW HIS HEAD OFF.

John Bennie, a Manitoba Farmer, Commits Suicide.

Alexander, Man., June 11.—(Special)—John Bennie, a farmer, aged 45 years, formerly of Walkerton, Ontario, was found today with his head blown off on the floor of his house. It was a case of suicide.

WINNIPEG'S PROGRESS.

Larger Number of Building Permits Issued This Season.

Winnipeg, June 11.—(Special)—The building inspector reports 285 permits, valued at $852,000, issued this season.

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McKINLEY DECLINES.

Will Not Be Candidate for Another Term as President.

Washington, June 11.—The following statement has been given out at the White House:

"I regret that the suggestion of a third term has been made. I doubt whether I am called upon to give it notice. But there are now questions of the gravest importance before the administration and the country, and their just consideration should not be prejudiced in the public mind by even the suspicion of the thought of a third term.

"In view therefore of the reiteration of the suggestion of it, I will say now, once for all, expressing a long settled conviction, that I not only am not and will not be a candidate for a third term, but would not accept a nomination for it were it offered me.

"My only ambition is to serve through my second term to the acceptance of my countrymen, whose generous confidence I so deeply appreciate, and then with them to do my duty in the ranks of private citizenship.

"(Signed) WM. McKINLEY.
"Executive Mansion, Washington."

CHINESE INDEMNITY.

United States Declines to Enter Joint Guarantee of Powers.

Washington, June 10.—The government has formally communicated to the foreign powers the impossibility of joining in a joint guarantee for the payment of the Chinese indemnity. The difficulties in the way of such an arrangement are set forth in the communication, particularly those relating to the constitutional restrictions on the President in making a joint guarantee of this character.

In view of the determination of the United States not to be a party to a joint guarantee, there is anxiety shown in diplomatic circles as to the outcome on the question of indemnities. One view is that the majority of the powers being favorable to a joint guarantee will execute their joint instrument and thereafter carry on a concert of their own. In that event, it is said the United States would arrange directly with China as to the United States portion of the indemnity. The representatives of most of the European powers do not believe that a resort to the Hague tribunal as proposed by the United States will be acceptable to their governments.

ADMIRAL SEYMOUR.

Speaks on Trade Rivalry of the Great Nations.

Shanghai, June 11.—Admiral Sir Edward Seymour, British commander-in-chief of the China station, was the principal guest of the Chinese association at its annual banquet last evening. During the course of a speech protesting against the policy of trade exclusion, the admiral said Great Britain had three powerful rivals—the United States, Russia and Germany. Of the three the United States was the greatest of her trade rivals, but the rivalry was not in conflict with Great Britain's policy of open door. Germany was a keen competitor, both as regards trade and sea power. Great Britain some day would have to reckon with the latter. Russia was not only extending her territory, but was repressing trade.

Admiral Seymour insisted on the importance of holding and defending Shanghai in order to preserve the prestige of the foreign nations.

MORE SURRENDERS.

Kitchener's Daily Report of Boers Tired of Fighting.

London, June 11.—Lord Kitchener reports to the War Office under the date of Pretoria, June 11, as follows:

"Commandant Van Rensburg and his commando have surrendered at Pietersburg.

"One hundred men have come in, and others are following."

The Hague, June 11.—Mr. Kruger has issued a statement to the effect that he knows nothing of the peace negotiations alleged to be proceeding with the Boer leaders. He says that if there are any negotiations on foot it is not through any action of his.

WOODMEN.

Convention of the Order Opens at St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn., June 11.—The 12th biennial camp or national convention of the Modern Woodmen of America, met here today in the auditorium. An immense audience witnessed the opening ceremonies. Welcomes and responses and preliminary routine in the appointment of committees filled the morning session.

Reports of the head officers show a net gain of 211,370 in new members since the meeting of two years ago, carrying total insurance of $348,500,000. During the two years 2,368 new local lodges were organized.

AT AUCKLAND.

Duke and Duchess of Cornwall Land in State.

Auckland, N. Z., June 11.—The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, who arrived here yesterday from Sydney on board the steamer Ophir, landed this morning. They were greeted with salvos from the warships in the harbor, and a popular demonstration on landing. The town was crowded, among those gathering to greet the Duke and Duchess being many Maoris in native costume. In honor of the Royal visitors the day was observed as a general holiday.

PREMIER AT L'ASSOMPTION.

Presented With Addresses and Makes Feeling Reply.

L'Assomption, Que., June 11.—(Special.)—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was presented with several addresses today, one being from the county council. He made a feeling reply. Mr. Tarte and other speakers took part.

FOR POLAR EXPEDITION.

Small Buoys to be Used for Marking the Route.

Chicago, June 11.—A special to the Chronicle from Quincy, Ills., says: "Packed in hermetically sealed cans, forty balloons have been shipped to Tromsoe, Norway, where the outfit will be added to the equipment of the Baldwin-Zeigler North Pole expedition.

"These balloons are not to be used for carrying passengers, but to mark the path of the expedition. To each will be attached 10 buoys, 10 feet apart, hanging one below the other, weighing ten pounds each, arranged with a liberator for detaching the buoys one at a time as they strike the earth. The buoy will contain a message showing the latitude whence the balloon was sent up, and such other word as explorers care to leave behind.

"The buoys are made of copper and cord, and are shaped like a top. In the centre is a hallow space which will contain the messages. When a certain amount of the gas has escaped the balloon will descend. As soon as it gets near enough to the earth for one of the buoys to strike the lower one is immediately detached and liberated from the weight, the balloon at once begins another ascent. This operation is repeated automatically until all of the buoys have been dropped, when the balloon, now emptied of its gas, collapses and sinks to the ground. As there are forty of these this operation will be continued until the 400 buoys are scattered over the Arctic regions."

SHIRT WAIST POSTMEN.

Letter Carriers in Settle to Appear in New Summer Garb.

It has been announced, says the Seattle P. I., that the city's mail carriers will this summer appear upon their daily rounds in shirt waists, permission to do so having been granted by the department. In the hot days of summer the heavy uniform worn by the carriers is intolerably uncomfortable. Yet, according to regulations, they have heretofore been compelled to wear the blouse at all seasons of the year.

The new waists which were ordered by the Seattle carriers, arrived yesterday. They are of chambray gingham, blue in color and harmonize well with the uniform trousers. Although in other cities a collar of the same material as the waist is worn, the Seattle carriers have decided to wear either a standing or turn-over white collar. The whole makes a neat and comfortable dress. As soon as the weather becomes pleasant, the entire force, with the exception of two or three, will appear in shirt waists. These two or three thus far have lacked courage, but as soon as the rest have paved the way, it is expected they also will sacrifice fears to comfort.

The carriers are contemplating a grand picnic and excursion in the near future to Port Madison. Arrangements have not yet been completed, but nothing will be left undone in order to insure a good time.

SHOT BY COURT MARTIAL.

Two Boers Who Broke Their Oath of Neutrality.

Pretoria, June 11.—Two Boers have been court martialled and shot for trying to escape from Pretoria, and to rejoin their commandoes after having taken the oath of neutrality.

ONLY TWO.

Number of Ministers Coming to the Coast Is Dwindling.

Ottawa, June 11.—(Special)—The minister of customs has decided that he will not be able to go to the Pacific Coast this summer. Mr. Sifton and Mr. Tarte are therefore the only ministers likely to make the trip to the Yukon.

ALL HOPE ABANDONED.

No Chance of Saving Men Entombed at Port Royal.

West Newton, Pa., June 11.—Another explosion occurred at the Port Royal mine shortly before noon, and several of the rescuers were dangerously injured. Fire Inspector Callahan and Fire Boss McFee were the most dangerously hurt, and may die. This last explosion in many minds settles the fate of the entombed men, and all hope of getting them out alive has been abandoned.

UNCONSCIOUS HUMOR.

The following appears as a "Scare Head" in the Winnipeg Telegram:

"Drowned at Morris—Four-year-old child loses its life in the Red River—The late rain did much good."

In the same paper appears the following paragraph:

"The first excursion of the season by the steamer Keenora will be run on Saturday. The boat leaves Rat Portage for Fort Frances and Mine Centre, meals and berths being furnished on board.

SHARKEY BEATEN.

Champion Wrestler Downs Him Within the Time Limit.

Cleveland, June 11.—Central Armory, the largest auditorium in the city, was packed tonight with a crowd that numbered between 8,000 and 10,000 people, to see the wrestling match between Tom Sharkey and Tom Jenkins, champion of America. The terms of the contest were that Jenkins was to throw Sharkey twice in an hour. The first round started at 9:40, the men struggling severely for 19 minutes, when Jenkins threw Sharkey with an upright double Nelson hold. Once or twice in this round Sharkey essayed the aggressive, and Jenkins had to have a care else the tables would have been turned. No holds were barred.

After an interval of 15 minutes the second round began, the men struggling for 21 minutes, when Sharkey's shoulders were forced to the floor a second put him on the floor in the first round. put him to th floor in th first round.

STRIKE TROUBLES.

Newport News Shipbuilding Works Threaten to Close—A Lock Out.

Newport News, Va., June 11.—A. L. Hopkins, assistant superintendent of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company, is authority for the statement that if the striking machinists do not return to work at once, the immense plant will be closed. Nearly 7,000 men will in that event be thrown out of employment.

Hyde Park, Mass., June 11.—About 235 employees of the American Tool Company, including the machinists, pattern-makers, apprentices and blacksmiths, walked out of the shop at 9 a. m. today, on account of a notice posted by the company stating that the shop would be shut down at 9:30 a.m. The notice was the company's answer to a demand for an increase of 12½ per cent. in wages.

PUBLISHERS' CONGRESS.

Debate on the Subject of Copyright Conventions.

Leipsic, June 11.—The publishers' congress today adopted a resolution to have its debate on the copyright conventions between the United States and European states issued as a memorial and to submit them to the United States and European governments. The United States publishers offered to lay the memorial before the typographical union. The congress hoped that the United States would subscribe to the Berne convention at no distant date, and in the meantime expressed a desire that the additional clause to the bill of March 3, 1891, proposed by the United States copyright league for the better protection of foreign works might become law.

DR. HAANEL.

New Mining Superintendent Selected by Dominion Government.

Syracuse, June 11.—Prof. Eugene Haanel, head of the department of physic in Syracuse university for the past 13 years, today received official notice of the ratification by the cabinet of the Dominion of Canada of his appointment as superintendent of mines. Dr. Haanel is a former professor in Victoria university and is a charter member of the Royal Society of Canada. He was born in Breslau, Germany, May 24, 1841, coming to this country in 1859. He taught in Adrian, Hillsdale and Albion college in Michigan. In 1873 he went to Victoria college, Cobourg, Ontario. Dr. Haanel came to Syracuse university in 1888, taking the physical science chair.

LA FIGARO.

Row at Shareholders Meeting of Paris Principal Paper.

Paris, June 11.—At a meeting of the shareholders of the Figaro today, the action of the committee of surveillance was unanimously sustained. The shareholders voted in favor of the removal of M. Perivier, the manager and of the acceptance of the resignation of M. Derodays, editor in chief. M. Presta, president of the committee was appointed provincial manager of the paper. M. Perivier refused to vacate the premises. M. Presta tried to get the police to eject him, but they declined to interfere.

A BANKRUPT.

Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett Goes Through the Court.

London, June 11.—A meeting of the creditors of Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett in the Bankruptcy court today, disclosed his liabilities to be £57,536, and his assets £28,000. The chairman of the meeting stated that the assets were of very doubtful value. Among the creditors is Sir Ellis's brother, William Lehman Ashmead Burdett-Coutts, who figured for £40,000.

Sir Ellis attributes his insolvency to losses on various investments.

CONGO FREE STATE.

King Leopold Declines to Hand Over Administration.

Brussels, June 11.—Something of a sensation was caused today by the reading to the Congo parliamentary committee of a letter from King Leopold to the ultramontane leader, M. Woeste, declining to accept the position of provisional administrator. The letter practically intimates the King will only hand over the Congo state to Belgium on his death.

YACHTING.

The Clyde Regatta—Shamrock Starts Home.

Rothesay, Firth of Clyde, June 11.—The Sybarita beat the Kairia D. by 11 minutes today over a 74-mile course, which the winner covered in a spanking breeze in six hours six minutes and twelve seconds.

Southampton, June 11.—Shamrock II. after having been strengthened while in dock here, returned today to her moorings off Hythe. She starts for the Clyde tonight.

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PERSONAL.

F. J. Wheeler of the Great Northern railway, is a guest at the Driard.

Mrs. G. W. Prescott of San Francisco, is at the Driard.

J. E. Woods of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

J. Pettit of Spokane is registered at the Driard.

Harry Smith of Duncans is a guest at the Victoria.

Rev. W. H. Barraclough, B. A., is at present at New Westminster conducting the examinations in connection with the Columbian college.

Jailer Allen and Constable Carter of the city police force are at present enjoying their summer holidays.

A Raymond-Whitcomb excursion party spent yesterday in the city.

Dr. G. L. Milne returned last evening from the Mainland.

Senator Templeman arrived from Ottawa last evening. He was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Thorburn.

W. M. Brewer was a passenger from Vancouver last night.

A. T. Goward, local manager of the B. C. Electric Railway company returned yesterday from Vancouver.

C. Brash returned last night from Vancouver.

Thomas Taylor, M. P. P. for Revelstoke, was in the city yesterday en route to Nanaimo, where he is going to attend the annual convention of the Grand lodge of the I. O. O. F. Mr. Taylor confirms the reports of several important discoveries of free gold quartz in Fish Lake camp.

J. E. Evans, provincial representative of the Union Mutual Life Insurance company of Portland, Maine, is here from Vancouver to settle the claim of the estate of the late Geo. McRae, on account of the policy upon the life of the deceased Victorian.

J. J. Bond of San Juan is at the Dominion.

J. C. Park, mining engineer of Vancouver, is at the Dominion.

Chas. J. Brand and Otto Kosendall, both of Minneapolis, are guests at the Dominion. They are the advance members of a large party of Minnesota students who are coming to the new botanical station at Port Renfrew.

M. J. Costello and wife, from Kent, Wash., and Wm. Smalley and wife of Vancouver, are two bridal couples registered at the Dominion.

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MARRIED.

CELLA—MEYER—In this city on June 10th, William Andrew Cella, formerly of Lacrosse, Wisconsin, and Mary Magdalene Meyer, formerly of Lacrosse, Wisconsin.

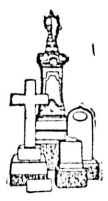
HERITAGE—WILSON—On Monday evening, June 10th, 1901, at the residence of the bride's parents 41 Cadboro Bay road, by the Rev. Dr. Reid, Mary A. Wilson, eldest daughter of Alex. Wilson, to John A. Heritage.

DIED.

O'BRIEN—At the family residence, No. 48 Cadboro Bay road, on the 9th instant, Mary Ann, relict of the late William O'Brien, a native of Albany, New York, aged 67 years and 7 months.

The funeral will take place from the residence as above on Wednesday morning at 9 a. m., and at the Roman Catholic Cathedral at 9:30.

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From Greenwood Times.

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(Signed by)
H. DALLAS HELMCKEN,
And 101 Others.

Dated June 5th, 1901.

Gentlemen,—I have much pleasure in acceding to your request and appoint Friday, June 14th, at 8 p. m., in the City Hall, as the time and place of the meeting, and respectfully request the attendance of the citizens thereat.

CHAS. HAYWARD,
Mayor.

Victoria, B. C., June 8th, 1901.

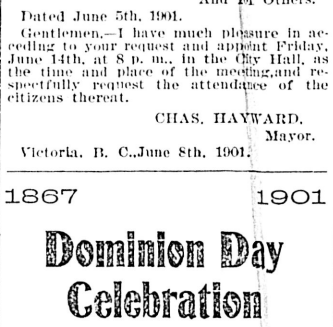
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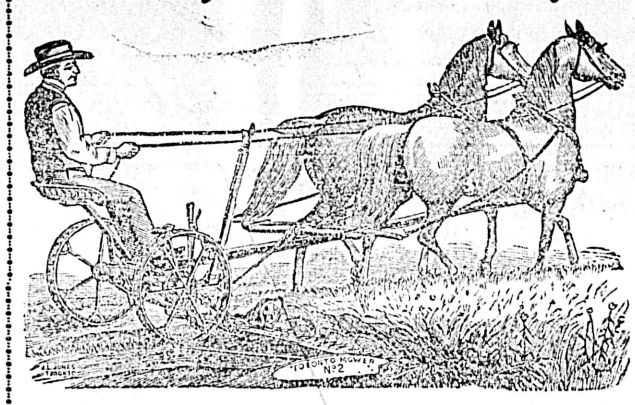


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Borealis Now en Route Here —Queen City From the West Coast.

According to letters received from hunters of the schooner Borealis, dated on May 21, the catch of that schooner is a great deal lower than the 1,882 skins, which, owing to a mistake in the sending of a cablegram, she was reported to have had. Writing from Hakodate, Japan, on May 21, fifteen days before the date of the cable, hunters of the schooner say that the vessel had bad luck off the Japan coast, and had only taken eighty skins on the grounds across the Pacific. For two weeks prior to going in to Hakodate, at which port she anchored fully two weeks or perhaps three, in advance of the close of the season, no seals had been seen, and discouraged by his failure to get amongst the fur-bearers, Capt. Munro had run into port. The Borealis was to leave early in June with the catches of any vessels that had landed their skins at Hakodate, and it is now taken that the the cable received meant that the Borealis had left Hakodate for Victoria on June 5 with 1,882 skins, being the catch and the skins which had been landed at the Japanese port. The message only said: "Borealis, 1,882," and being translated in the light of the letters received, it is taken to mean that she is the vessel bringing the skins across, and she is bringing 1,882. As stated yesterday, the Carlotta G. Cox was the high liner at that date, with 399 skins.

According to advices from Halifax, it is said that Capt. J. W. Peppitt, emboldened by the success of the Victoria, owned schooner Edward Roy, off Cape Horne, will send a schooner to the southern Cape in a short time, sailing from Halifax. Capt. Gilbert, master of the Edward Roy, which is owned by Capt. Blacom, R. Hall, M.P.P., Capt. Grant and others, when he came around to Victoria in the sealing schooner Director in 1895, took quite a number of seals off the Horne, and was fired on while hunting by the soldiers of the Argentine Republic, stationed in the south. He took quite a number of fur seals, though, and it has been known for some time that there were large rookeries in several places along the Southern American coast, particularly off the Cape of Storms and on Staten Island. It was owing to his catches then made that the initial steps were taken for the purchase and outfitting of the schooner Edward Roy, which returned a short time ago with 1,600 skins.

The seal have been taken in many places off the Southern American coast, from above the Platte to the far south, and big herds have been seen off the Platte by sailing vessels. A hundred years ago or thereabouts big rookeries were known to exist on Juan Fernandez, Massafeuro and other islands, which latterly have shifted their breeding grounds, and probably the descendants of these seals are found on the many rookeries along the Southern American coast, off which the Edward Roy made her large catch.

A noteworthy coincidence will be read with interest by those book-lovers who have noted Rudyard Kipling's close attention to fact in his fiction. In a story which is printed in his Jungle Book a tale is told of "The White Seal," a seal which migrated throughout the big seas looking for a rookery where hunters never came, and it was stated that this white seal was born on Otter Island. Prof. Macoun, who went to the Pribyloffs to make investigations for the Dominion government, as a seal expert, stated in conversation a few days ago, while on his way to Vancouver from the East, that he had only heard of one family of white seals in the Behring sea rookeries, and that family was found on Otter Island.

But one white seal is reported to have been taken by the Victoria sealers. It was captured five or six years ago by one of the Shields brothers, hunters of the schooner E. B. Marvin. No other white seal is known to have been taken in the north sea or off the British Columbia coast.

ISLANDER SAILS.

Leaves for Skagway—Boscowitz Sails North—Tees Goes Tomorrow.

Steamer Islander sailed at 8 o'clock yesterday morning for Skagway via Vancouver, and after loading 120 sheep and 59 head of cattle at Vancouver, as well as adding slightly to the cargo of general merchandise loaded here and filling up her passenger list, the steamer sailed from there last night. Plans are now being drawn for improvements to the Islander, which are to be made next season. These improvements include a new deck for the steamer.

The Tees is to sail tomorrow night for Naas and way ports of northern British Columbia. She will carry an average cargo and a fair complement of passengers. The Boscowitz, which was at the outer wharf loading freight yesterday afternoon, sailed from Leiser's wharf last night for Naas and way ports of the north.

QUEEN CITY RETURNS.

Tillikum Still at Dodgers' Cove—Wreck Bay Gold.

Steamer Queen City returned from the West Coast yesterday, bringing news that the schooner yacht Tillicum is still at Dodgers' Cove, being hauled out there on the beach repairing, in consequence of injuries received during a blow encountered off Cape Flattery when she started on her voyage to Tahiti from Port San Juan. News was also given of a reception tendered by the Indians at Clayoquot to Bishop Orth, who went up on a visit to the coast missions. Earle's wharf was decorated and with their canoes draped and flying flags, the Indians went out to welcome the Queen City as she steamed in with the Bishop on board. At Hesquoit a welcome was also given to the Bishop.

Little mining news was received by the steamer. At Wreck Bay the miners had about two thousand in gold ready to run into bars as soon as the nearly completed furnaces were ready. The flume was damaged by the high tides and heavy rains, being washed away in three places, and this hindered the work, making the miners work with less machines than they would have under more favorable conditions. Only two of the six machines were working. C. C. Binns, who is also interested in the Long Beach black sand claims to the west of Uclulet, and Mr. Jacobsen, part owner of one of the Wreck Bay properties, were among the passengers of the steamer. The weather has prevented anything being done at Long Beach for some time. No ore was received from the Monitor mines and nothing was heard at the Barclay Sound iron properties other than the news given from those points by the last steamer.

The passengers by the Queen City included H. E. Newton, the mining expert; Bishop Perrin and F. Adams, from Alberni; Mrs. Reynolds, from Hayes Landing; E. Frank, C. C. Binns and F. Jacobsen, from Uclulet, and J. J. Baird and Mrs. Christie and family, from San Juan.

LUMBER CHARTERS.

Three Carriers to Load at British Columbia Mills.

Three new lumber charterers are reported. The American ship St. Frances, which arrived at Yokohama on May 6 from New York, has been taken up to load at Chemainus for Sydney, Australia, at 43 shillings and 9 pence, with the option of Port Tarie, Melbourne and Adelaide at 50 shillings. The Prince Regent, a sister vissel of the Prince Victor and Prince Arthur, which recently loaded lumber in British Columbia, has also been chartered by the Chemainus mills. She arrived at Rio de Janiero on April 9 from Liverpool. The Prince Regent is to load for the United Kingdom, the terms being private. The schooner Mindora has been taken up to load at Burrard Inlet for Freemantle.

MARINE NOTES.

The Campania, of the Cunard line, arrived at New York at 8 a.m. on the 8th instant, according to the C. P. R. bulletin.

Steamer Miowera is due from the Antipodes.

Notice is given by the department of marine, that the two red spar buoys, marking the outer edge of the shoal ground off Sidney, on the east coast of Vancouver island, latitude N. 48 degrees, 38 minutes and 50 seconds; longitude W. 123 degrees, 23 minutes, 45 seconds, have been permanently discontinued, as the wharf is not now used, and is in a dilapidated condition.

JUNE WEDDINGS.

Miss E. T. Hibben Becomes Bride of Thos. Claussen—Heritage-Wilson.

The Reformed Episcopal church was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday afternoon, when Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, assisted by Rev. Dr. Wilson, solemnized the wedding of Thos. Claussen of Sausolita, Cala., to Miss E. T. Hibben, youngest daughter of the late T. N. Hibben. The bride, looking as pretty a bride as ever the June sun shone upon, was given away by her brother, and was attended by a page, instead of the customary bridesmaids, Thos. Claussen, a youthful member of the groom's family acting as page. J. A. McTavish attended the groom. The church had been prettily decorated for the occasion by the ladies of the church of whom the bride had been a well liked associate. A pretty innovation was made in the throwing of the yellow blossoms of the broom over the bridal party instead of rice. Mr. and Mrs. Claussen, who received many handsome presents from their friends, left for Seattle last night by the steamer Rosalie, and will return to sail by the next south-bound San Francisco liner on which they will leave for their future home in Sausolita, where the bride's sister, Mrs. Claussen, now resides.

Another June wedding was that of John A. Heritage, engineer of the steamer Amur, to Miss Mary A. Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Wilson, at whose residence the ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Reid. The Misses Gill and the sister of the bride, Miss Herminia Wilson, acted as bridesmaids, and Mr. W. C. Wilson supported the groom. Many handsome presents were received, including a tea set from the choir of the First Presbyterian church. Mr. and Mrs. Heritage have left for Banff, where they will spend their honeymoon, and returning, will reside on Grant street.

TO NERVOUS WOMEN.

Mrs. D. W. Cronsberry, of 168 Richmond Street, Toronto, says: "My daughter's nerves were so exhausted and she was so weak and debilitated that she had to give up work and, was almost a victim of nervous prostration. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food proved an excellent remedy in restoring her to health and strength. After having used four boxes she is at work again healthy and happy. 50 cents a box, at all dealers.

A SERPENT MOUND.

A Peterboro Relic of a Past Race Partly Destroyed.

From Peterboro', Ont. Review.

Mr. David Boyle, curator of the archaeological museum, in connection with the Educational Department, and Mr. J. E. Belcher, C. E., visited the Serpent Mound on Rice Lake yesterday for the purpose of having Mr. Belcher take the measurements and gain the information that would be necessary to allow a model of the mound to be made for exhibition purposes, and to ensure the preservation in some form of this interesting prehistoric monument, which is the only one found in America. Mr. Belcher returned home last evening, but Mr. Boyle proceeded from Keene to Belleville.

The Review gave a very complete description and sketch of this mound when attention was directed to it some three years ago, and its authenticity as a serpent mound was established. At this time the mound was in a perfect state of preservation, standing as it had been reared hundreds of years ago by the mound builders or serpent worshippers. Since that time it has been more or less mutilated by persons digging into it in search of relics. This has disfigured the top of the mound but its general lines remain as on the day it was thrown up. It is to be regretted that the mound was mutilated or disfigured, for while it may be restored, yet it would have been much preferable that it should have stood in its original state.

Mr. Belcher's measurements were very complete and bring out some interesting facts in regard to the formation of the mound. They show that it was built on accurate design or plan, and a remarkable uniformity was observed throughout. From the head of the serpent to the tail it measures 180 feet, the tail dropping or falling away into the earth. Throughout the length there is a uniformity of width and height, although the serpentine shape is followed. But a straight line drawn from the head strikes the mound about the center and again at the tail. Needless to say, Mr. Belcher was deeply interested in his work, and he will develop his information in a sketch or a mould.

It may be that the ground on which the mound stands may be purchased by the Government and the mound thus preserved.

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Public Meeting This Evening to Form a Game Protective Association.

New Westminster Has No Ball Team to Send Here On Saturday,

A public meeting has been called for this evening in Pioneer Hall to organize a game protective association such as there are in most of the states at present. This is a question that not only sportsmen, but all residents of the Island are concerned in, and there should be a large attendance. At the present rate of destruction it will only be a short time before the game birds of the Island are, if not extinct, at least scarce, and as the shooting and fishing too attract many to this part of the country, it is to the interest of all that the game should be properly protected. In the past the laws have been too loosely enforced, and men who should be the first to protect the birds, have killed them ruthlessly before the season opened, and in some cases before the birds were barely able to fly. A number of young men of the city have started the movement for the organization of the association, which ensures its success, for when once the young men interest themselves in the question, the day of the poacher will be near an end for they will take action against all alike. The provincial government is lending aid in the matter, and have already appointed a special constable whose duty it is to look out for those offending against the Game act. The idea of those who are promoting the scheme of organizing the association is to raise funds sufficient to pay two special constables to assist the man appointed by the government during the months of July and August. They would take districts, and be on the move all the time, visiting particularly the camping grounds, and also points along the line of the E. & N. railway, and keeping a watch on those leaving the trains. In the past it has been no secret that game was brought to the city before the opening of the season. With a sufficient number of game wardens this should be stopped.

BISLEY TEAM.

Four Victorians Leave Tomorrow Morning For the East on Their Way to England.

The four members of the Fifth regiment who won places on the Bisley team leave tomorrow morning for Montreal, where they will meet the other members of the team, and sail with them on the Tunisian on the 22nd inst., for England. Sergeant Bodley intended taking Mrs. Bodley with him, but learned yesterday that all the berths had been taken on the steamer. The members of the team have offered to take with them any advertising matter the council may desire and distribute it at points at which they may visit. The four Victorians, Sergeant-Majors Richardson and McDougall, Sergeant Bodley and G. Fleming, are the only representatives on the team from the West.

SEATTLE SATISFIED.

Letter from George Tinto Who Brought Dogs to Victoria.

In reference to the statement in the Seattle Times, that Seattle fanciers were not satisfied with the treatment they received at the show of the Vancouver Island Kennel Club held here last month, George Tinto, the Seattle fancier, has written as follows to Dr. D. B. Holden, honorary secretary of the V. I. K. C.:

Seattle, June 7, 1901.

Dr. D. B. Holden:

Dear Sir: I am sorry that such an article should appear as the one published in the Seattle Times, and I have just received a clipping from the Victoria Times headed, "A Snarl from Seattle's Unsuccessful Dog Fanciers." The Seattle dog fanciers, who I represented at your show, have no kick coming. I had 27 dogs on my string, four of them from my own kennels, and your show makes the tenth I have been at in a little over two years, and I have always got a big share of the special prizes. Now at your last show I got 20 firsts, 13 winners and 14 specials; 7 seconds, 2 reserves and 1 third, and when told to get ready for a special kennel prize, I refused to compete and told the Rev. Mr. Flinton I had taken enough; so I hope the Victoria people will not put us all down for a lot of kickers. This is the second show I have had the pleasure of competing at in Victoria, and let me know whenever you are going to have another, and I will get the boys to send their dogs, and we will try and bring as many of your cups as we can to this side of the line; and should you ever visit Seattle, give me a call, and we can have a drink together of Seattle's best out of Victoria cups. Well, I hope you are well and will keep your club together and get ready for next season's show.

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Victorias to Meet New Westminster for First Time This Season.

On Saturday the Victoria lacrosse team will travel to New Westminster to meet the champions of Canada. A very strong team will be sent up, practically the one that defeated Vancouver. The boys are in fine trim and practise faithfully every night. Field Captain Ditchburn is confident that they will give the champions the hardest fight they have had for some time. The referee will be either H. J. Senkler or Charles Wickens, of Vancouver. It was hoped that the C. P. N. Company would place a boat on the Westminster run on Saturday morning, to accommodate the Victoria lacrosse enthusiasts who wished to encourage the boys by their presence and cheers, but the company have no boat available.

LEAGUE SHOOT.

Commences at Clover Point Today and Continues on Saturday.

The league shoot under the auspices of the D. R. A. will commence at Clover Point range this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and will be continued on Saturday at 6 a.m. and 2 p.m. This is the much-postponed match and will be shot under the new conditions.

BASEBALL.

Nanaimo to Play Here on Saturday.

Owing to the inability of the New Westminster club to keep their engagement to play here on Saturday, arrangements have been made to play the Nanaimo boys instead. The Coal City boys are, if anything, a stronger team than New Westminster, for they defeated New Westminster with comparative ease at Nanaimo on the 24th of May. The score being 14 to 4. Judging from the score of the Nanaimo-Westminster and the Victoria-Westminster games, the local boys will have to do some tall hustling to hold the visitors down, to say nothing of defeating them. In playing Nanaimo, however, the locals will meet an amateur nine, at least up-to-date, the Coal City boys have not played any imported men. Under these conditions, the patrons of the game will be assured an interesting match. The local nine will be very much the same as when they played the university boys here on the first of the month, and if they can put up another game as good as the one they put up on that occasion, Nanaimo will stand a very good show to lose.

The boys are practising at the hill every evening, and are in excellent condition. The only improvement that could be desired in their work, being in the batting line. There are very few amateur teams that play as good a game in the field as the local boys, and if they can but improve in their batting, they could hold their own in almost any company. The grass at Oak Bay park will be cut over the entire field before Saturday, and the field rolled and put in first class order.

With good weather a large crowd should be present to cheer the boys on to victory.

In connection with last Saturday's game, it has transpired that New Westminster played two men imported for the occasion, Campbell of the University of Washington, and McRae of the Nonpareils of Whatcom. As a matter of fact, they have not got a full team, and hence their inability to play here on Saturday. It is said that the promoters of the Vancouver team finding that there is no money to be made in playing a professional team in an amateur league, are endeavoring to get into the Northwest league. That is where they belong.

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W. S. GORE.
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 1st June, 1901.

NOTICE.

"Canadian Contingent Exemption Acts."

All returned South African Volunteers, who have not already done so, are requested to communicate with the undersigned without delay, as also the next of kin of those deceased or of those who have not yet returned to British Columbia, or any other persons interested in mining properties held by such volunteers. The latest date possible for receiving applications for exemption under the above Acts will be the 1st of July, proximo.

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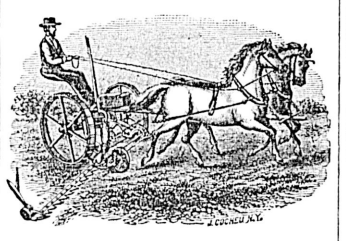
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CANADA'S TRADE.

The foreign trade of Canada will show a total of $400,000,000 for the current year. This is a showing that is highly gratifying, especially as it is a substantial increase over last year. Comparisons are frequently odious, but here is one that is not, at least to Canadians. The foreign trade of the United States last year was in round numbers $2,400,000,000, which is six times as great as that of Canada for the current year; but the population of the United States is more than twelve times that of Canada, which means that the Dominion does a foreign trade twice as great per capita as the United States, and yet our neighbors claim that they are marching forward to the commercial supremacy of the world. The conclusion from this showing is that, if with only a narrow strip of her immense domain developed and with such a comparatively small population, Canada can do a foreign commerce bearing such relations in point of magnitude to the United States, the Dominion is on the high road to being the richest country in the world, and may reasonably hope to be the seat of commercial supremacy.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

(Ninth Article.)

The undoubted resources of the Central Mainland of British Columbia are such that the problem of providing adequate transportation facilities has attracted a great deal of consideration. Several surveys for lines of railway have been made across it, the most important of which was that of Mr. Marcus Smith, who reported favorably upon the route from Yellow Head Pass, in the Rocky Mountains, to Bute Inlet, on the Coast, as the best one available for the Canadian Pacific. There is no doubt as to the excellence of the route and the magnitude of the business which could be built up along it. The C. P. R. having been located by its present route, what was known as the Canadian Western, or British Pacific, railway was proposed to follow Mr. Smith's line. This enterprise fell through by reason of the great depression which set in about a decade or so ago, and when the time came when capitalists were quite ready to carry it out the charter had expired and could not be renewed owing to the attitude of the legislature of that time in regard to land subsidies to railway companies. The Canadian Northern Railway Company now contemplates the construction of a line across this district from the Rockies to the Coast, although the line to be followed has not yet been determined. A proposal has also taken preliminary shape for the building of a line from Ashcroft, on the C. P. R., northward to some point in Cariboo. It is also proposed to build a line from Kitimaat harbor, near the northwestern corner of the district east and north towards the Yukon and Omineca. This would be for the most part in the North Central Mainland.

In 1895 Mr. H. P. Bell, C.E., by direction of the provincial government, made what is called the Northwest Colonization Survey, and his report is to be found in the Sessional papers of 1896. It contains a great deal of very valuable matter, some of it being derived from original exploratiin by Mr. Bell, and the rest being taken from the reports of other explorers. Mr. Bell laid down on the map accompanying his report what he calls a "colonization base line or route of the proposed railway." It begins at Frederick Arm, an inlet a little north of Bute Inlet. Here Mr. Bell contemplated that a ferry connection should be established with Vancouver Island. The line then extends to Bute Inlet, and thence in the most direct route available to Quesnel, on the Fraser river, whence it continues easterly after crossing the Fraser, reaching the valley of that river again after going about 130 miles across country, and then follows the Fraser to Yellow Head Pass. It takes generally Marcus Smith's line, except where it diverges from it on the 130 miles east of Quesnel. The distance from Frederick Arm to Yellow Head Pass is 477 miles.

Beginning at the head of Bute Inlet, Mr. Bell describes the land in the valley of the Homatheo river as good but expensive to clear and the climate as probably unexcelled for the production of cereals, fruits and roots. The eastern flank of the Coast range he pronounces to be pastoral lands of exceptional excellence, the winter feed giving it a highly favorable character. This feed can be cut on the extensive natural meadows. Some of the land in this section only requires irrigation to make it admirable for farming purposes, and there are streams at hand to supply the water. Mr. Bell thinks that it is only the lack of means of communication which keeps this section from being immediately occupied by settlers. He estimates that there are about 80,000 acres of good farming land around Tatla lake, including the Homatheo valley. In this the pastoral area is not taken into account. East of the section just described, Mr. Bell reports a large tract containing many natural meadows, the higher lands being all that can be desired for sheep raising. North of this and extending all the way to the northern border of the Central Mainland, Mr. Bell reports "a good pastoral country with areas capable of cultivation." These observations cover the whole country between the Coast range and the Fraser. East of the Fraser, he says, "there are many creeks and river bottoms which contain good pasture available for dairy purposes, and also for the cutting of hay," and he states facts which show that hardy grains and vegetables can be successfully grown. In this part of the district mining will be the chief industry.

Speaking generally of the central portion of the Central Mainland, which is a district having an area of approximately 30,000 square miles, it may be described as being suited to cattle and sheep raising, and also to agriculture. The agricultural land includes the low benches of the Fraser valley, where irrigation is often necessary, but all the products of the North Temperate Zone can be grown in great luxuriance, the valleys of the smaller rivers where mixed farming can be successfully carried on, although sometimes irrigation is necessary, and generally all portions of the country where the elevation is less than 2,500 feet. With the data at present available it is impossible to approximate the extent of this cultivable land. Mr. Bell says that there are opportunities for carrying out irrigation schemes on a much larger scale than any that have hitherto been attempted in this province. It is evident that the observations made by engineers in traversing so vast an area must necessarily fall short of covering the whole of it. Experience elsewhere shows that when once a country begins to be settled, the area of tillable land is found to be much greater than appears at the outset. On the whole, it is a region, which, when opened by modern means of communication will be attractive to the farmer and the sheep and cattle raiser, while the mines in and around it will afford an ample market for everything that will be produced.

MONEY FOR MINES.

Any newspaper man, known to take an interest in mining matters, will have several propositions brought to his notice every week, which look as though they would repay any one who would take hold of them with a little capital. Then he reads in the press of the vast amount of capital seeking investment, and he very naturally wonders why it is that some of this capital cannot be secured for the development of these prospective mines. This is really one of the urgent questions of the hour in British Columbia. The amount of outside capital invested in this province has not been large as compared with the enormous sums that have gone elsewhere. What is the reason? One gentleman writes to the Colonist to lay a large measure of the responsibility upon the condition of our mining laws. Another says it is because of the unwise manner in which investments already made here have been managed. But there are many people who know nothing about our laws, and care little about the fate that has befallen improvident management. Eastern Canada and the United States contain many such, who have abundant means. What about them? Why cannot they be attracted towards British Columbia?

There is no doubt that much mischief was done in the days when the wild-cat was abroad in the land, and it was a poor week that did not see a dozen million-dollar companies put upon the market. Just a word as to the promoters of the wild-cats. Most of them were acting in good faith. They believed they were promoting legitimate investments. It is quite legitimate for a man, who thinks he has a good prospect, to spend all his money in developing it, and if he gets nothing, no one accuses him of dishonesty. They may express doubts as to his judgment, but that is as far as they will go. It is equally legitimate morally to persuade a number of people to risk a little money in developing a property. We are not disposed to remain awake at night to lament the misfortunes of the man, who buys mining stock at 5 cents on the chance of the money being spent in work that will make his 5 cents' worth $1. He stood to make a 20 to 1 profit, instead of which he made a loss. He ought to have known that in the very nature of things the chances were against him. But the wild-cats hurt the province. The men who gambled in them and lost talked a great deal about it, and thus created an unfavorable sentiment. Bad management doubtless has had a prejudicial effect. In many cases the expenditure has run ahead of any possible results in sight. Then instead of dividends there is a collaspe, and once more the country gets a black eye.

The days of the wild-cat are passed, or nearly so. What we all now want to see is money forthcoming for the legitimate development of mines—not millions of dollars, but simply thousands. There are men who have worked patiently at their discoveries until they are almost, and in many cases, quite, at the end of their resources. Can any one devise a plan whereby money can be secured to take hold of promising properties of this description? There are many of them. They are not mines yet, but there is every prospect of their becoming mines. A few cases can be cited where the owners of a prospect have stood by it until it became a mine, but in nine cases out of ten, to do this costs a good deal of money, very much more than the average discoverer of a mine can get together. Can any one suggest a plan whereby the prospector of small means, but a good showing of mineral, can be brought in touch with men who are able and willing to put a little financial risk against what he has risked? Doubtless there are many such people, just as there are many prospects which they could take hold of. Doubtless also there is risk attending such expenditures, but that is true of every line of business.

A gentleman asks why we permit a correspondent to refer in the Colonist to the condition of any person's premises instead of directing him to lodge a complaint with the municipal authorities. The answer is that the more kindly way is to permit the reference, rather than advise steps which might in some cases put the owner of the premises to cost and trouble in consequence of a complaint being lodged. In reply to the question whether the condition of buildings is a matter for newspaper reference, we have to say that it is so considered in every other part of the world, and we know of no reason why Victoria should be an exception.

GILBERT-SULLIVAN OPERA.

A Letter By The Late Mr. D'Oyly Carte Shows How It Began.

From Pall Mall Gazette.

Since the lamented death of Mr. D'Oyly Carte a good deal has appeared in the press concerning the origin and the method of starting the famous series of Gilbert and Sullivan operas at the Opera Comique. By the kindness of Mrs. D'Oyly Carte, we have been favored with the following letter, written in 1877, before the production of "The Sorcerer," which will, we are convinced, be read with interest by every playgoer, inasmuch as it throws a flood of light, otherwise unattainable, upon the subject, and that too upon the unimpeachable authority of the late Mr. D'Oyly Carte himself.

My lord: Some gentlemen with whom I am connected are combining to form a small company for the purpose of establishing which shall have for its staple entertainment light opera of a legitimate kind by English authors and composers. The recent marked success in London of different established dramas and comedies and the recent agitation against the more pronounced forms of opera bouffe and burlesque would give the idea that a legitimate musical-dramatic undertaking would now be well timed, considering the large number of persons in London who take an interest not only in the drama, but also in good music. The very successful representation of the "Pres St. Gervais" at the Criteron theatre, which is a work nearly approaching the character of what I propose, is a proof that the public will flock to a really good entertainment. But the "Pres St. Gervais", is by a French composer. I have every possible respect for M. Lecocq, but when one considers who are the most popular composers in England, one finds that they are not M. Lecocq and M. Offenbach. On any pianoforte in any drawing room in England one will find half a dozen songs of Mr. Arthur Sullivan's to one of the French composers'. I believe that there is in England no lack of appreciation of native talent and no lack of efficient artists. I also believe that the causes of the failure of what is known as the English opera have been—first, that to perform grand opera grand singers are required, whereas any grand English singers that appear are drafted at once to an Italian stage; and, secondly, what is more important, the utter feebleness and absurdity of the plots and books which have been set to music by Balfe, Wallace and others. My plan is to obtain the services of the most distinguished authors of the day to write books, and the most distinguished composers of the day to write the music, for a series of light and amusing but interesting "comedy operas," for the interpretation of which I have secured the refusal of an excellent West End theatre, and propose to produce in the first instance, a new "opera comique" by Messrs. W. S. Gilbert and Arthur Sullivan, which they have talked over.

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To carry out our plan of subscribing the required amount we are naturally desirous of identifying with the undertaking some noblemen and gentlemen of distinguished position, and for that purpose we address ourselves in the first instance to your lordship, with a view of ascertaining whether you would be disposed to afford it the advantage which would attach to your name.

The fact that my friend Mr. Arthur Sullivan is willing to connect himself with the company and probably to accept the post of musical director, is no doubt an already strong recommendation, and the smallness of the amount of capital required is really a guarantee that the whole thing is a bona fide scheme, not undertaken by professional promoters for the sake of fees, promotion, money, etc., but simply a legitimate speculation.

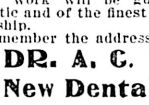
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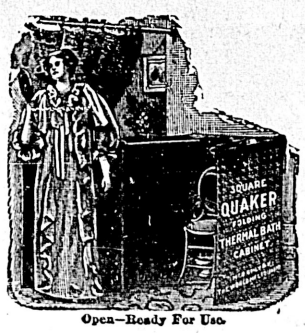
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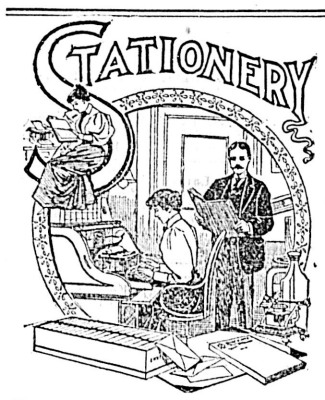


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Annual Picnic.—Arrangements are being perfected for the annual picnic of the Congregational Sunday school, which will be held this year on July 1, as usual, at Cordova bay. This picnic is always looked forward to as one of the events of the season, and the committee will spare no pains to make this year's outing most enjoyable.



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Victoria Clearing House.—The totals of the Victoria Clearing House for the week ending June 11, were $611,529; balances, $152,858.

Funeral Today.—The funeral of the late Mrs. O'Brien will take place this morning from the family residence Cadboro Bay road, and later at St. Andrew's Cathedral.

Miner's Licenses.—There were issued from the lands and works department in this city during the month of May, 470 miners licenses, the large majority to individual miners. The revenue was $4,472.40, as compared with $4,325.15 in the same month last year.

Looking Ahead.—That Victorians are anxious that those belonging to them should be well off after the head of the family has passed away, is shown by the reports of the life insurance companies. This city has the record for the percentage of those holding life insurance policies, the amount paid in premiums last year being $145,702.

Meetings Tonight.—Wednesday evening seems to be a favorite with Victorians for meetings of public bodies. This evening is no exception there being besides the public meeting in connection with game protection meetings of the School Board, Hospital Board and Agricultural association. A lot of important business is to come up for consideration at the latter meeting.

Laid at Rest.—The funeral of the late John McNeill took place yesterday from the family residence View street, at 8:45, and later at St. Andrew's R. C. Cathedral, where services were conducted by Rev. Father Althoff. The members of Segher's council, Y. M. I., of which the deceased was a member, attended the funeral in a body. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. W. H. Harris, J. F. Silver, J. J. Swain, H. T. Hodges, A. M. Ralry and D. Madden.

Death of a Victorian.—The funeral of George Ramsey, who died at the General hospital last Sunday, took place from the English church on Wednesday. The funeral was under the auspices of the Sons of England, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded on foot to the Queen's hotel, and from thence proceeded in rigs to the cemetery. The pall-bearers were E. Shelly, Jas. Dupen, Geo. Griffiths, G. Poulton, S. Hodson, Laurence M. Byles, T. Hart and T. Gregg. The deceased came from Victoria, B. C., to inspect hides for P. Burns & Co., and while here was stricken with pleurisy. He was taken to the General hospital, but despite the most careful attention it assumed a fatal aspect and he passed away on Sunday.—Calgary (Alta.) Herald.

Home Return.—Mr. Clayton, of the well known Victoria firm of Clayton & Costin, Johnson street, has just returned from a rather protracted sojourn in Steveston, at the mouth of the Fraser, where he has been superintending the erection and installation of a fine cold storage plant for the Federation Brand Salmon Canning Company. The plant is of the Linde pattern, and manufactured by The Fred. W. Wolf Co., of Chicago, for whom Messrs. Clayton & Costin are sole agents in British Columbia. This firm also make a specialty of erecting ice plants of more miniature proportions, for the use of hotels, restaurants, groceries and butchers' markets, of any size or power required, which will prove to be a great convenience.

Annual Convention.—The British Columbia convention of King's Daughters and Sons, will be held in Christ Church Cathedral school room on June 18, 19 and 20, at 11 a. m. and 3 and 8:30 p. m. on each day. The voting basis is article IV. in the constitution that each circle of ten or less members is entitled to representation by their leader, and one delegate with an additional delegate for each ten members. An important feature will be the question drawer. Individual members are requested to have in readiness any questions they wish discussed, the said questions to be anonymous, and answered by Mrs. Davis. A farewell offering is asked from each member towards the convention expenses, to be left at Waitt's music store. Addressed to the convention treasurer, Miss Macnaughton Jones.

Police Court.—The police are in hopes of making the charge against a Chinese laundryman of spouting water from his mouth on clothes in the usual Chinese style, held in the case now before the court. It was to have been heard yesterday, but was adjourned as the counsel for the defense was not present until today. When it is called the police will produce evidence that the Chinaman charged, is the proprietor of the laundry, and not as is pleaded in these cases "just a friend who has the privilege of washing clothes at the laundry." A contractor who left building material on Fort street was fined $5. The case was brought to the attention of the police by a bicyclist who ran into a pile of bricks a few evenings ago, and was badly shaken up. Fred. Gilmore pleaded guilty to the charge of assaulting Louis Olsen, but as the prosecutor was not present, the case was remanded until this morning.

Saturday's Fete.—Arrangements for the garden party at Armadale on Saturday are now well nigh completed. The grounds will be thrown open at 3 o'clock and solid enjoyment may be expected throughout the entire programme. The general admission will be 25 cents, children 10 cents, which also enables the holder of a marked coupon to have afternoon tea. Besides the bicycle parade and races, there are numerous attractions on the tapis. Special mention should be made of the decorated stalls that will be artistically grouped here and there on the spacious lawns and under the lofty trees, causing the combination of natural and artificial color to blend in a pleasing ensemble, baffling description. Tables will be there amply stocked with fancy and plain work, flowers, candy, ice-cream and strawberries, etc. In another department a fish pond will be the centre of attraction, and it is rumored that a trained donkey will go through all sorts of laughable tricks, much to the delight of the children. Attention is called to a couple of splendid pictures on view in the windows of Messrs. Hibben & Co. and J. Sommer, on Government street. They foretell a long procession of pleasure seekers on their way to Armadale, and are the handiwork of the member of the church under whose auspices the fete is given. With fine weather and a hearty response to the invitation issued to all, the success of the function is ensured.

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The colonel is greatly pleased with his find, as are also the Mounts Sicker and Brenton mines people, for the vein discovered on the Alida extends through both the Key West and the Victoria.

BUSINESS IN THE COURTS.

Several Matters Disposed of in Chambers—Manley vs Collum Continued.

In Chambers yesterday, Mr. Justice Walkem disposed of the following cases: Dalby vs. Case M. & T. Co.—Order made setting aside writ and fixing costs of application at $10. Walls for plaintiff, Martin for defendant.

The hearing of the preliminary objections to the election petition, Fairful et al. vs. Prior et al., was fixed for Thursday, June 13, at 10 o'clock a. m. Hunter for petitioners, Cassidy for respondents.

Ward vs. Bank of B. N. A.—Application to review taxation dismissed.

In Landsberg vs. Garden, a county court case—An order was granted setting aside the judgment; money to be paid into court. Schultz for plaintiff, Taylor for defendant.

APPELATE COURT.

Before the full court, Manley vs. Collum, a Kootenay mining case, occupied the whole day, and will be continued this morning.

GOOD ADVERTISING.

"Victoria, Past and Present," Issued by B. C Board of Trade.

The British Columbia Board of Trade has just issued an attractive illustrated booklet, entitled "Victoria, British Columbia, Past and Present," for general free distribution. The cover is in rifle green, with an artistic little design in silver. The letter press, descriptive of Victoria's growth from an Indian trading post to her present enviable position of Capital and commercial metropolis of a great province, is the work of T. Elworthy, secretary of the B. C. Board of Trade, and is excellently done. The half tone illustrations, which brighten every page, are very fine. Several useful tables of local information, and a colored topographical map of the city and suburbs, complete this useful little brochure. The intention is to distribute 10,000 copies in the Sound cities, and California, in hotels, trains, steamboats and other places where they are likely to fall into the hands of tourists and home seekers.

A thousand copies are to be distributed in Atlin and Yukon, bearing the announcement on their back covers that Victoria is prepared to buy gold dust and nuggets at full value.

REGIMENTAL ORDER.

Col. Biscoe to Inspect the Volunteers on Friday Evening.

Lt.-Col. Gregory yesterday issued the following order:

"The following extracts from G. O. No. 36, 1st May, 1901, are published for information: Fifth British Columbia regiment, Captain J. F. Foulkes, having been appointed to a commission in the South African Constabulary, is placed upon the retired list with rank of captain, 15th March, 1901. Provisional Second Lieutenant H. A. Holmes retires, 30th March, 1901.

"No. 149, Gr. H. Bellamy has been taken on the strength of the regiment, and is posted to No. 3 company, 7th June, 1901.

"The commanding officer has been pleased to approve the following promotions and appointments: No. 3 company, to be acting sergeants, Corporals W. Winsby, H. Cartley and Acting Corporal L. Gill; to be acting corporals, Bombs. C. E. Lawson, J. Cavin and Gr. E. M. Bradley; to be acting bomb., Grs. J. Anderton, D. A. R. McKenzie and R. B. King.

"The regiment will parade at the Drill Hall on Friday evening, the 14th inst., at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of being inspected by Colonel V. R. Biscoe, commanding troops in Canada. Dress: Drill order."

SUGAR BOUNTIES.

France Finds Them Too Heavy a Burden.

Paris, June 11.—The Liberte says that in consequence of the revenue shortage, the government is considering a proposal to reduce the sugar bounties.

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A SMALL TAX.

Boy Bootblacks in Montreal Must Pay Two Dollars a Year.

Montreal, June 11.—(Special)—Bootblacks must hereafter pay a tax, the little fellows $2 a year, and men with stands $5 a chair.

STREET CAR STRIKE.

Non-Union Men Pelted But Not by Locked-Out Employees.

Kingston, June 11.—(Special.)—Non-union street car men were pelted with stale eggs and fruit last night, some shots being well directed. Several plate glass windows in stores were broken. The police were out, but made no arrests. The locked-out men had no hand in the matter. During the night obstructions were found on the line, and in one case a switch point was lifted. Cars are running as usual today.

BOOK NOTICE.

Lovers of a good, rushing novel with abundance of thrill and dash in it can turn with confidence to Mr. McCutcheon's "Graustark." And having taken up the book it is safe to say the reader will not lay it aside until it is finished, for, despite its pronouncedly melodramatic character, the story is one that interests from the first with an interest that does not lessen or lapse anywhere throughout the book, and the reader, once under the spell, is not apt to wish to escape until he knows "how it all comes out."

The name of the hero of the story begins the first chapter of the book, and Mr. Grenfell Lorry proves an individual that takes one's fancy and holds one's attention. He is just entering the eastbound express at Denver on his way to his home in Washington after "dawdling away the months in Mexico and California." He is a man who has travelled all over the world, has seen and done most everything the well-to-do youth can do, but, as the story shows, is still alive to anything that tastes of adventure.

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RETAIL MARKETS.

Arrival of Grass-Fed Stock Causes the Price of Meat to Go Down a Point.

The arrival of grass-fed stock is the cause of a slight reduction in the price of meat. Since the last report the price of mutton has dropped from 10 to 18 cents to 10 to 15 cents, and other meats remain at the lower prices quoted last week. Eggs have advanced slightly, while creamery butter has gone back to 25 cents, the increase of 5 cents having lasted but a few days. Despite the backward weather, strawberries are coming in well and are comparatively low in price. Gooseberries are also on the market, and are selling at 10 cents a pound. The retail quotations follow:

Grain—	
Wheat, per ton	$30.00
Corn, whole, per ton	27.50
Corn, cracked	28.50
Oats per ton	$35
Oatmeal, per 10 lbs	45
Rolled oats, B. & K. per lb	4
Rolled oats, B. & K., per 7-lb sack	35
Feed—	
Hay, baled, per ton	13@14
Straw, per bale	75
Middlings, per ton	$23 to $26
Bran, per ton	$21 to $23
Ground Feed, per ton	2600
Vegetables—	
Potatoes, per 100 lbs	$2.25
California new potatoes, 8 lbs for	25
Cabbage, per lb	3 @ 4
Cauliflower, per head	2 for 25
Onions, per lb	5 @ 8
Carrots, per lb	2 @ 3
Tomatoes, per lb	15 to 20
Asparagus	10@12
Green Peas	6
Beet Root, per lb	.3
Lettuce, per head	.5
Turnips, per lb	1½@ 3
Eggs—	
Fresh Island, per doz	20
Butter—	
Fresh Island Butter	25
Delta Creamery, per lb	25
Best Dairy, pr lb	25
Cowichan Creamery, per lb	25
Cheese—	
Canadian, per lb	20
Fruits—	
Cocoanuts, each	10@15
Lemons, California, per doz	25@30
Lemons, small, per doz	20@25
Apples, per lb	10
Naval Oranges, per dozen	30@40
Bananas	30@35
Strawberries, box	20@50
Gooseberries, lb	10
Rhubarb	5
California Figs, (black), 4 lbs	.25
California Figs, (white), 3 lbs.	.25
Poultry—	
Dressed Fowl, each	75@$1.00
Dressed Turkeys, per lb	25@30
Fish—	
Salmon, spring	12½
Cod, per lb	8@10
Halibut, per lb	10
Herring, per lb	5 @ 8
Smelts	8 @10
Flounders	6 @ 8
Oysters, Olympia, per pint	50
Crabs, three for	.25
Meats—	
Lamb, spring, fore quarters, each	$1.00
Lamb, cut up, per lb	25
Lipton's Bacon	24
Lipton's Ham	20
Hams, Canadian, per lb	18
Hams, American	18
Bacon, Canadian, per lb	20
Bacon, American, per lb	20
Bacon, Rolled	16
Bacon, Long Clear	15
Beef, per lb	10@18
Mutton	10@15
Pork, per lb	10@15
Veal, per lb	10@15
Mutton, live weight	4@ 5
Veal, live weight	7
Beef, (choice, live weight, per lb	5 @ 6

BUSINESS POINTERS.

On Thursday, at 2 p. m., a very large consignment of champagne will be sold by sample in the sale rooms of the Cuthbert-Browne company, to the highest bidder. It is the first time that such a large quantity of high grade wine has been sold in the city in this way, and should be of interest to consumers and to connoisseurs trading in the north. Samples will be on view morning of sale. Tomorrow morning the same firm will sell out No. 61 Kane street, and on Friday morning another large furniture sale will be held in their rooms, 34 Fort street.

The trading in cannery licenses this year is the subject of much anxious thought on the part of those interested. If the outcome does not prove the existence of gross political jobbery, present appearances belie the event. The movement to induce Victorians to patronize Victoria firms is a good one, and one in which all patriotic citizens have an interest. The amount of all kinds of merchandise coming to Victoria through the mails is sufficient to start a large department store. Negotiations looking to the establishment of a paper mill in this province have been going on for some time; but although the matter is likely to be brought to a satisfactory issue, the difficulty at present is the cost of raw material and water power. In most cases in Eastern Canada, both these cost practically nothing, the water power being free, while the trees are from timber limits owned by the manufacturer, and off which he has already cut much marketable timber.

Attention is directed to the advertisement in another column of this paper of the Dominion Bakery, corner Cook and North Park streets, who justly claim for their product a superiority over many others in their lines. None but the very highest grades of flour, and the best materials are used in the manufacture of everything they produce, and everything they offer to the public is made by good practical men, well known to understand their business. Neither is the Dominion Bakery a sweat shop, all work being done in broad day light.

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Meeting at Winnipeg Adjourned After Passing Loyalty Resolution.

Winnipeg, June 11.—(Special)—The Methodist conference adopted a resolution of loyalty to King Edward and adjourned today.

LIFE ON THE RAIL.

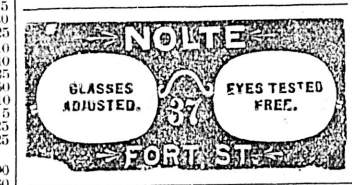
Mr. George Cummings, Barrie, Ont., one of the best known engineers on the G. T. R. writes: "For years I suffered from kidney disease brought on by railroad life. The doctors called it 'railroad kidney,' but could give me no permanent relief. A friend recommended Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, saying they had cured him. A few boxes of this grand medicine completely cured me, putting an end to the dreadful pains in my back and greatly strengthening the kidneys. I am a well man today, thanks to Dr. Chase." One pill a dose. 25 cents a box.

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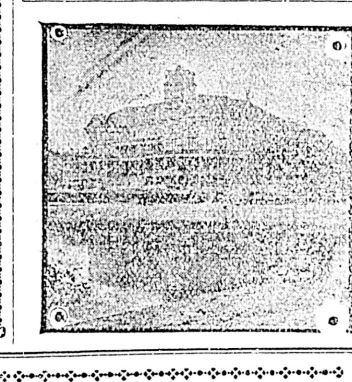
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At a meeting of the undersigned proprietors of barber shops, it was decided that the hour for closing their places of business on Saturday night shall be eleven o'clock sharp, until further notice.
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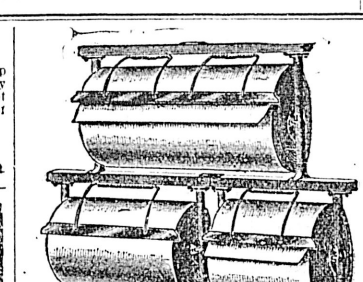
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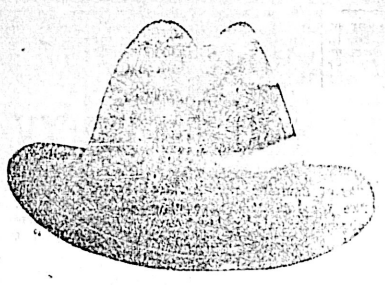
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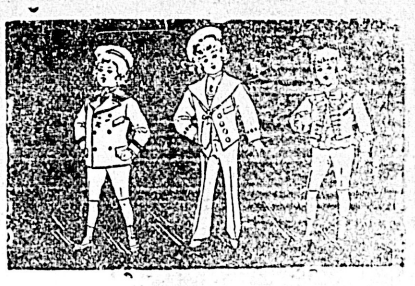
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City Must Build Bridge

Dominion Government Reminds Victoria of Agreement Re Point Ellice.

Money By-Laws to Be Submitted On Wednesday June 26 to Electors.

The city council met last night, according to adjournment from Monday, to continue the consideration of the Point Ellice bridge by-law. It seemed almost the unanimous opinion of the members that no half measures were desirable in dealing with this very important matter, but that it was absolutely necessary to provide such a bridge as would be above criticism in point of strength and durability. If any weaknesses or leanings to the side of false economy lingered in the aldermanic mind, they were dispelled by the reading of correspondence between His Worship Mayor Hayward, Hon. J. J. Tarte, minister of public works, and Mr. G. A. Keefer, resident engineer for the Dominion government. From this it appears that there is no alternative course left to the city. A bridge must be built at Point Ellice and that without delay. The suggestion that the city should build a light traffic bridge and let the B. C. Electric Railway Company provide a separate bridge for their own use was scouted as untenable, as it was assumed that the Dominion government would not permit the additional obstacle to navigation, which such an unnecessary structure would create. The electric railway company having shown a strong disposition to meet the city half way in contributing to the cost and maintenance of the bridge, the council felt themselves warranted in pushing through the by-law and submitting it to the ratepayers at an early date, being, moreover, convinced that this course will be approved by a large majority of the property holders of the city.

After careful consideration of the question in all its bearings, the aldermen decided to ask for $75,000 for the bridge, this sum being deemed necessary to secure the building of an enduring and in every way suitable structure.

Voting on the bridge and other local improvement by-laws will take place on Wednesday, June 26.

Mayor Hayward and all the aldermen were in attendance at last night's adjourned meeting of the council.

A letter was received from Sergt.-Major McDougall, offering to distribute advertising matter at Bisley, whither he is going as a member of the Canadian rifle team.

It was decided to accept Sergt.-Major McDougall's patriotic offer and to provide him with 1,000 copies of the pamphlet, "Victoria; Past and Present."

The Ladysmith Dominion Day celebration committee invited the mayor and council to take part in the celebration, which was accepted with thanks.

Tenders for sewer pipe were opened, and that of the British Columbia Pottery Company, being the lowest, was accepted.

The Point Ellice bridge question was then taken up, and considerable discussion ensued. His Worship asked leave to read the following correspondence on the subject:

His Worship the Mayor of Victoria:

My Dear Mr. Mayor: I have wired Mr. Keefer to make an immediate and careful inspection of the Point Ellice Bridge, in view of ascertaining whether it is absolutely safe. I must remind you that the municipality was allowed two years to erect a steel bridge which I think has not yet been erected. Believe me, dear Mr. Mayor,

Truly yours,
J. ISRAEL TARTE.

(Copy of Telegram Sent.)
Victoria, May 17, 1901.

J. I. Tarte, Minister of Public Works, Ottawa:

Have you any objection to wire me tenor of Geo. A. Keefer's report on Point Ellice bridge to allay public alarm caused by its examination.

CHAS. HAYWARD,
Mayor.

(Copy of Telegram.)
Victoria, May 17, 1901.

Hon. J. I. Tarte, Minister of Public of Public Works, Ottawa:

Cannot under existing conditions guarantee absolute safety of Point Ellice bridge, but consider it, subject to present restrictions, limiting number of passengers to thirty per car and weight of cars to eight tons, safe for ordinary traffic. The heavier cars contemplated will not be used. In view of the fact that this bridge has been in use more than two years beyond expiration of time limit of agreement with Dominion government, would respectfully suggest as a concession to public opinion, and in the interests of public safety and convenience that government insist on fulfillment of original agreement, and the erection of a proper structure within reasonable time, or before expiration of present year.

G. A. KEEFER,
Resident Engineer.
Victoria, May 18, 1901.

Dear Mr. Mayor: By permission of the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, I beg herewith to enclose copy of my telegram to him on 17th inst., in reference to the present condition of Point Ellice bridge.

Yours very truly,
G. A. KEEFER,
Resident Engineer.

Chas. Hayward, Esq., Mayor of Victoria, B. C.

Council then went into committee of the whole to consider the Point Ellice bridge by-law.

The amount decided to be raised for the purpose of a first-class, modern steel bridge was $75,000, which will necessitate an annual charge of $3,665 for 50 years to cover interest and sinking fund, requiring the levying of one-tenth of a mill.

The by-law was reported complete with amendments, read a third time and passed.

It was decided to submit this and the other by-laws to the vote of the ratepayers on Wednesday, June 26.

The by-laws to be voted on are:

Government St. Pavement	$ 13,500
High school	30,000
James Bay flats	150,000
Point Ellice bridge	75,000
	$268,500

The total increase in assessment required to provide for interest and repayment of the foregoing amounts will be one and sixteen one-hundredths (1 16-100) of a mill.

Ald. Williams called attention to the state of the sidewalk on the north side of Fort street above the residence of Mrs. Heywood.

The council then adjourned and the streets, bridges and sewers committee took up the consideration of a number of requests and recommendations, the result of which will be reported at next meeting of council.

PASSENGERS

Passengers per steamer Charmer from Vancouver.

R. H. Collins.	Mrs. Thobura.
R. Hopkins.	Mrs. J. Morrison.
Miss Wollaston.	Mrs. J. H. Hickman.
Dr. Milne.	R. D. McPhail.
W. M. Brewer.	Jno. Prentice.
Miss Lovett.	T. B. Hill.
W. W. Brown.	H. B. Jayne.
Wm. Smalley.	J. T. Dearville.
Mrs. Smalley.	G. W. Robertson.
R. McIntyre.	Senator Templeman.
J. E. Evans.	W. H. Reed.
R. W. Maclean.	H. T. Goward.
W. E. Buck.	S Oppenheimer
T. Keith.	T Wilkinson.
Mrs. Ellerton.	A. G. Carter.
Mrs. Hamill.	O. H. Reinkl.
Master Hamill.	A. H. Reinkl.
L. Beckett.	C. O. Rosendale.
L. C. Parker.	Chas. J. Brand.
J. Rae.	C. O. Kelly.
Mrs. Rae.	R. J. Jamieson.
J. G. Wood.	A. T. Macaulay.
C. Brash.	Mrs. J. A. Sinclair.
Miss A. McKinnon.	Miss J. Nesbit.
M. C. Harrison.	W. L. Whitney.
J. Wolf.	Mrs. Whitney.

Passengers per steamer North Pacific from the Sound.

L. Poole.	Mrs. Bishop.
L. Roste.	J. W. Sherridan.
S. Tangave.	Miss Fortson.
R. Webb.	Mrs. Barnio.
Jno. J. Johnson.	Miss Conday.
Mrs. Johnson.	Miss Nelson.
Miss Goubler.	Miss Todd.
Miss Wilson.	J. R. Hopkins.
J. H. Widdlebros.	Mrs. Hopkins.
Miss Skillington.	Jno. Hopkins.
Jno. Johnson.	Mrs. Powell.
J. M. Tabley.	Miss Caldwell.
G. W. Clagne.	Miss Thompson.
E. Honor.	Miss Lester.
H. D. Norris.	Miss Schenson.
B. McDougall.	Jas. Walnut.
H. C. Renhart.	F. N. Crosty.
Miss Valentine.	G. W. Gibson.
Mrs. Sadworth.	Miss Adams.
Miss Jepson.	Miss James.
D. Overby.	Miss Crosby.
Mrs. Overby.	Mrs. Gibson.
O. Johnson.	Miss Miller.
Miss Johnson.	Miss Douglass.
F. J. Lyon.	Paul Blue.
Mrs. Lyon.	Geo. Gamble.
T. E. Sigendson.	Mrs. Norman.
Mrs. Sigenson.	Miss Johnson.

Passengers per steamer Rosalie from the Sound.

J. Marcus.	Geo. Creech.
Miss Conrad.	Mrs. Creech.
G. McPherson.	F. N. Root.
Miss Peverell.	Mrs. Root.
H. Leonard.	Jas Dixon.
W. Comarelle.	H. C. White.
C. Van Horn.	Mrs. Dixon.
Wm. Fuskett.	Capt. Horn.
C. J. Gunston.	Capt. Lundstrom.
J. L. Foster.	Jas. Knowles.
Mrs. Wilson.	Mrs. Knox.
Mrs. White.	L. H. Smith.
Mrs. Melen.	A. H. Blum.
Miss Miller.	L. Templus.
Mrs. Glemastor.	J. T. Powell.
D. A. Speaker.	

Passengers per steamer Utopia from the Sound.

Mr. Christopher.	J. McCarty.
Mrs. Willis.	G. C. War.
Mrs. Elliott.	C. E. Kyle.
Mrs. Pomltzer.	J. S. Penworthy.
Mrs. Thomas.	M. Goodrnaa.
C. A. Christopher.	C. E. Eckert.
Ole Hunter.	F. A. Cuthbert.
A. Dells.	Mrs. Cuthbert.
B. Kelly.	J. Piercy.
R. Hastings.	Mrs. Piercy.
Wm. McLoughlin.	A. Finling.
O. Benvh.	C. E. Lang.
Ole Oleson.	A. C. Avery.
J. McEwen.	Dr. Owens.
A. Carlson.	E. A. Curtis.
J. Cars.	Mrs. Boyd.
E. Powell.	Mrs. Turner.
E. Derhemer.	Miss Cahalen.
Wm. Mills.	Mrs. Gilbert.
A. C. West.	Miss Lister.
J. Jacobson.	Mrs. Jones.
A. A. Olds.	Mrs. Allen.
N. J. Costello.	G. W. Prescott.
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CONSIGNEES.

Consignees per steamer Rosalie from the Sound.

John Sluggett.	H. Rich.
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CASCADE POWER.

From Greenwood Times.

J. Roderick Robertson, managing director of the London & British Columbia Gold Fields, and Wm. Anderson, superintendent of the Cascade Power & Light Company, were in the city this week and visited Phoenix on Tuesday. The London & British Columbia Gold Fields Co. financed the Cascade concern until a few weeks ago, when a subsidiary company was organized in London for the purpose of developing the power at Cascade. The plant has been ordered and by next fall Mr. Anderson believes they will be in a position to furnish power. In the meantime they have called for tenders for erecting the necessary poles between Cascade and Phoenix, and as tenders were received from here and Phoenix arranging for the contract was part of Messrs. Robertson and Anderson's business here.

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.

From Ashcroft Journal.

Hon. J. D. Prentice, minister of education, visited the Ashcroft school Monday last. Mr. Prentice paid a very high compliment to the school in general and stated that the average of the scholars applying for admission to the high school was the best shown in the province for there were no failures—all passing very creditably. Mr. Prentice's visits do much to advance interest in public schools in general and he already has a very high record as the head of the educational department.

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Finance and Commerce

ON WALL STREET.

New York, June 11.—The desultory movement of prices in today's stock market demonstrated the professional character to which it has again relapsed. The volume of dealing fell back next to the level which was reached previous to last week's burst of speculative activity. The opening made a good show of strength under the combined influence of a favorable interpretation of the government crop report, and the rumors which came thick from London that peace was imminent in South Africa. A sharp raid carried Texas Pacific down 2% points from the high point, and Missouri Pacific itself fell under last night's closing. The whole market suffered from realizing, until the aggressive movement in Missouri Pacific checked the decline. This stock touched 122% on well defined expectations of a coming dividend. There was a rumor that the company's bonds which have the option of exchange into stock and which pay five per cent, are to have the option exercised in their behalf. The pressure on Texas Pacific was attributed to a change in the ratio of its proposed exchange with Missouri Pacific stock, which has been supposed hitherto to be two shares for one of Missouri Pacific. The Mexican Central issues were largely dealt in in connection with a report of a refunding plan which would bring the stock nearer to dividend claims. The appearance of the Standard Oil interest in controlling numbers in the directorate of the American Linseed Oil company, was responsible for the strength of these stocks, and of National Lead, which it is said will benefit by the change.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, June 11.—The following were the closing bids on Wall Street today:

American Tobacco	141⅝
American Sugar	140⅜
Anaconda	49
Atchison	80¼
Atchison pfd	102⅜
Baltimore & Ohio	107¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	79⅝
Canadian Pacific	105⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	49⅛
Chicago Gas	116¾
St. Paul	166¼
Continental Tobacco	59½
Continental Tobacco pfd	124
Consolidated Gas	221
Colorado Fuel & Iron	100⅝
C. C. C. & St. L.	84⅝
Delaware Lackawanna & Western	236
Delaware & Hudson	167
Denver & Rio Grande	39⅜
Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic pfd	20
General Electric	248
Jersey Central	161
Louisville & Nashville	108⅞
Manhattan Elevated	118½
Missouri Pacific	121¼
Metropolitan Traction	170⅞
Northern Pacific pfd	98
Erie	43⅜
Ontario & Western	27⅝
Pressed Steel	45⅛
Reading	45⅛
Southern Railway	33⅜
Southern Railway pfd	86¾
Southern Pacific	55⅝
Tennessee Coal & Iron	90
Texas Pacific	48¼
Twin City	88½
United States Leather	14
United States Leather pfd	147⅛
Union Pacific	107⅝
Union Pacific pfd	90⅝
Wabash	23¾
Wabash pfd	43½
Western Union Telegraph	94¼
Great Northern	186
United States Steel	49⅝
United States Steel pfd	98¼
Commercial Cable	188½
C. P. R. in London	106½

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago, June 11.—The futures closed as follows: Wheat, June, 70⅝; July, 71¼; Sept., 48⅝; corn, June, 41⅝; July, 42⅞; Sept., 43⅝.

DAILY MARKET QUOTATIONS.

(By B. Williams & Co., Stock Brokers.)

New York, June 11.—The following quotations ruled on the Stock Exchange today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amn. Sugar	143⅜	142⅞	140¾	140⅝
Amn. Tobacco	142½	142⅝	140	140½
People's Gas	116¼	116½		
C., M. & St. P.	166¼	168	166	166¼
Manhattan	119½	119½	118¼	118⅝
C., R. I. & P.	168	169	165	165
B. R. T.	81	81⅜	79¾	78⅝
A. & S. F. pfd	103	103½	102¾	102¾
S. P. com	59⅞	60½	59	59⅜
B. & O.	109	109	108¼	109
B. R. T.	81	81⅜	79¾	79⅝
L. & N.	110	110⅜	108¾	109
T. P. com	108	108¾	107¼	107⅝
Con. Tobacco	70	70¼	69½	69½
U. S. Steel	50	50¼	49	49¼
A. & S. F. com	87¼	87¾	86¼	86⅝
W. U.				93½

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MINING EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

(Supplied by A. W. More & Co., Ltd.)

Toronto, June 11.—The following were the closing quotations on the Mining Exchange today:

	Asked.	Bid.
Black Tail	10	9
Canadian G. F. S.	6	5
Cariboo McKinney	39	37
Cariboo Hydraulic	$1.65	$1.50
Centre Star	41	40¼
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	$82	$78
California	5	3
Deer Trail Con	3	2¼
Golden Star	6	4¼
Giant	4	3
Iron Mask	26	24
Granby	52	45
Mountain Lion	26	21¼
Noble Five	6	3
North Star	63	58
Ollve	6¼	5¼
Payne	32	30
Rambler Cariboo Con	33	29
Republic	11	10
Virtue	11	9
War Eagle Con	21	18
White Bear	2¾	
Winnipeg	4	2
Wonderful	5	3½

TORONTO SALES.

War Eagle, 250 at 21.
Deer Trail, 1,000 at 2⅝.
Giant, 7,500 at 3¼.
Centre Star, 1,000, 1,000 at 40¼.

ROSSLAND SALES.

Rambler Cariboo, 1,000 at 30¼, 1,000 at 31.
Homestake, 2,000, 1,000 at 13¾.
Centre Star, 2,000 at 41¼, 2,000, 1,000 at 41.

LOCAL NEWS.

Swans For Montreal.—The park commissioners shipped a pair of swans yesterday to Westmount Park, Montreal. The birds were bespoken by the Mayor of Westmount, who recently paid Victoria a visit.

Special Services.—The festival of St. Barnabas' was celebrated at the church of that name with special services last evening. Archdeacon Pentreath, of Vancouver, delivered an address, and there was a very pretty choral service.

The Stabat Mater.—Rossini's Stabat Mater, so successfully produced a short time ago, under the direction of Miss Marrack, will be repeated on Tuesday, the 18th inst., at the Metropolitan Methodist church. A rehearsal will be held on Thursday evening at the Balmoral, and it is requested that all taking part will kindly be on hand.

Will Hold Picnic—A number of former residents of Wellington County, Province of Ontario, met at the house of Rev. R. B. Blyth, 280 Yates street last night and decided to hold a picnic at Kanaka ranch on July 13. A committee was appointed to interview all interested and to secure co-operation in making this reunion a success, and it is asked that all who desire to participate in this event shall send their names either to Mr. Tait of Victoria West, Mr. D. Spragge, 138 Menzies street, or Rev. R. B. Blyth, 280 Yates street.

Maccabees Elect Officers.—Victoria Tent No. 2, K. O. T. M., elected the following officers for the ensuing term, at their meeting last night: Sir knight commander, Emil Kunz, re-elected; sir knight Lieutenant commander, F. Le Roy; sir knight record keeper, Jas. Bell, re-elected; sir knight finance keeper, R. F. John, re-elected; sir knight chaplain, Wm. Minty; sir knight sergeant, R. John; sir knight M. at A., Geo. Murray, re-elected; sir knight first M. of G., John E. Droob; sir knight second M. of G., R. Margison; sir knight sentinel, H. Weber; sir knight picket, Wm. McFaun. One candidate was initiated.

To Elect Foreman.—On Saturday next the voters of the Esquimalt division will be called on to elect a road foreman for the district. This is a continuity of the practice brought into vogue by the government, though after the death of the late foreman, Mr. J. Williams, the government appointed Mr. R. H. Nunn to his position. The only other candidate offering himself for election is the young son of the late road foreman, Mr. Robinson, who has been in the field for some time, having retired in favor of Mr. Nunn. The nominations take place at the schoolroom between 11 and 12, and the voting from 12 to 5.

Installed Officers.—The members of the Sons of St. George met on Monday and received a visit from the Grand District Deputy, who installed the following officers in their respective offices: P. W. P., Bro. F. Jeeves; W. P., S. Heald; W. V. P., W. Charlesworth; W. C., Bro. S. Greenhalgh; W. T., H. Rivers; W. A. M., Bro. Levy; W. M., F. Hepworth; W. S., G. Penketh; W. A. S., Bro. S. C. Court; I. G., Bro. H. Solloway; O. G., A. Ward; organist, Bro. Sherman. After the installation the members were regaled with an excellent supper, interspersed with song and story, the chief feature being the reading of a very able paper prepared by Mr. Charlesworth. The Grand Officer congratulated the members on the increased membership, and thought the members had made a very wise choice in the selection of their officers. He hoped that the next term would show the same material increase that they had enjoyed in the last, and that the members would be endowed with a good share of the financial prosperity so necessary to carry on the good work.

Leightner Arrives.—George Leightner, the absconding agent of the Northern Pacific Railway and Express Companies, arrived from Winnipeg last evening in charge of Detective Palmer. He will be arraigned in the police court this morning, but the hearing will probably be adjourned for a few days to allow counsel to prepare for it. It is understood that Leightner, on the advice of his friends, will lend the company all the aid possible in straightening out the books and will agree to plead guilty at the trial. This will enable the prosecution to expedite matters by laying two or three charges covering the whole shortage, whereas if he had decided to fight the matter it would have been necessary to lay an information in each case in which money had been taken, as the bond company will only pay the amount a man is convicted of taking. There will have to be a preliminary hearing, as he cannot plead until the case comes to trial. The course of the proceedings will probably be arrived at today. Mr. A. G. Avery, chief counsel for the N. P. R., at Tacoma; Mr. A. Tingling, the company's general agent at Tacoma, and Mr. C. E. Lang of Winnipeg, who has been appointed agent in this city, arrived on the Utopia yesterday morning, and Mr. Van Campen, the manager of the bond company, will arrive this morning. Mr. George E. Powell has been retained to represent the companies in the courts. He and Mr. Avery were in consultation yesterday. Nothing more is heard of a settlement.

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MEN WANTED—For new season, new samples, steady work. Luke Bros, Montreal. j5

WANTED—Smart and willing boy to learn a trade. Apply J. W., this office. j11

WANTED—A male cook for No. 3 Company. Apply to Corpl Winsby, Dom. Savings Bank. j11

WANTED—At Hotel Strathcona, a cook. White preferred. Also waiters. Apply to management.

WANTED—Waiters at Balmoral Restaurant, 64 Johnson street. j8

WANTED—Steady industrious youth to make himself generally useful. Apply H. J. Brady & Co., 131-5 Johnson street. m16

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

WANTED—A first class laundress. Apply to 3 St. Lawrence street. j12

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Apply C. C. Johns, 59 Second street. j12

WANTED—General servant, small family. 24 South Turner street, near Park. j11

WANTED—Girl to do housework. Apply 16 Kane street. j11

WANTED—A young English girl about seventeen years, to learn housework; wages $15; position permanent. Address 408 Equitable Building, Tacoma, Washington. j9

WANTED—Good second girl. Apply Mrs. S. Leiser, 93 Pandora avenue. j1

WANTED—Nurse during July. Competent and reliable person to take charge of infant. Apply Mrs. T. R. Smith, "Ethelwold," Richardson street. j11

WANTED—An experienced saleswoman for the dry goods business. Apply to the Sterling, 92 Government street. j8

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—By married man, situation as gardener and general help. Apply H. L. this office. j12

WANTED—Position by stenographer and typewriter. Can assist with books. Box, Colonist. j4

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—At W. G. Eden's, 125 Fort St., old copper, brass, zinc, bottles, coal oil tins, rubber boots, sacks, etc. j9

WANTED—Coal oil cans. Apply J. W. Mellor, 76 Fort street. a20

WANTED TO RENT.

WANTED TO RENT—Cottage or small house. Six rooms or more, furnished or unfurnished. B. N., this office. j12

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD.

ROOM AND BOARD for a gentleman in private family. Apply 20 Erie street. j12

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FOR RENT—Nice house, 5 rooms, bath and pantry, Pembroke street, $12.
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FOUND—English setter with Victoria license dog tax tag No. 275. Apply Colonist office. j9

LOST—Monday afternoon, marten neck fur boa with tails. Return to Colonist office. j6

LOST—Scottish terrier, wire haired; color, Brown; prick ears; weigh, 18 lbs; new collar on neck; answers to the name of Rascal Reward, W. C. Adam, Province office. m29

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NICE LOT, facing car track on Esquimalt road just outside city limits, $450. Very nice lot Craigflower road, with access to Gorge only $250. Good lot, Amphion St., Oak Bay ave., $225. Very good 5-roomed house, bath and pantry, with two nice lots, on Pembroke street, $1750. Easy terms. A. Williams, 104 Yates street. j2

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VICTORIA AND LAKE DISTRICTS—About 700 acres, within 5 miles from post office; 200 acres under cultivation; splendid soil; or will sell in lots to suit purchaser, very cheap. Apply 40 Government street. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

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GLENFORD AVENUE (off Carey road)—five acres, cleared, good cottage, barn, chicken-house, etc.; $1,050 (cheap). Apply 40 Government street. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

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SOOKE RANCH, containing 132 acres with Lake. Small portion under cultivation; new 4-roomed cottage, orchard, etc.; excellent soil. Owner leaving the country, $1500.

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CHEAP FARM—160 acres, 50 under cultivation, 90 slashed and seeded. New 9-roomed modern house (cash $3000), plenty of water, large barns, outhouses, etc. Farm is well drained, soil, rich black loam, all fenced, cost $11,000. Will sell for $5000. Owner leaving for England. Apply B. C. Land & Inv't. Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St. a19

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Drawings and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned, room 4, Bank of Commerce building, Victoria, B. C.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be in on or before 12 o'clock noon of Thursday, June 13th, 1901.

H. E. NEWTON.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE GOODS OF AARON GARLAND, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Aaron Garland, who died on the 17th day of April, 1901, are required on or before the 17th day of May, 1901, to forward to the undersigned full particulars of their claims duly verified.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the executors shall not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by the undersigned at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 7th day of May, A. D. 1901.

ARTHUR LEE, Executor.

11 Trounce Avenue, Victoria, B. C.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

IN PROBATE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN REES, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Rees, late of Victoria, B. C., who died at San Francisco, California, U. S. A., are hereby requested to send particulars in writing of their said claim to the undersigned at Number 2, Broughton street, in the city of Victoria, on or before the 13th day of June, 1901, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he has then had notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said executor has not had notice at the time of distribution.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 29th day of May, 1901.

BODWELL & DUFF, Solicitors for Taliesin Evans, the said Executor.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of the Estate of Arthur Porter, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Arthur Porter, late of Victoria, B. C., deceased, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands, duly verified, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are required to pay such indebtedness to William Porter Worthington, of No. 15 Rock Bay, Victoria, aforesaid, the executor, to whom probate has been granted, on or before the 8th day of July next, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Arthur Porter amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he has then had notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim the said executor has not had notice at the time of the distribution.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of June, 1901.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, Solicitors for the Executor.

CITY NOTICES.

A BY-LAW.

To Enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to Borrow $30,000 to be applied to School Purposes.

Whereas the Board of School Trustees in pursuance of the provisions of section 37 of the Public Schools Act have prepared and laid before the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria a detailed estimate of the sums required by them amounting to $30,000, which sum is required to meet special or extraordinary expenses legally incurred by the said board, viz:—the erection of buildings for a High School;

And whereas the Council have finally disapproved of the payment of the said estimated sum of $30,000 out of the current year's revenue, and of such disapproval have given due notice to the Board of School Trustees:

And whereas the secretary of the Board of School Trustees has made a written request to the Council to submit for the assent of the electors in the manner prescribed by section 68 of the Municipal Clauses Act, a by-law authorizing the proposed expenditure and the raising of the money required to defray the same upon the credit of the municipality:

And whereas it is intended to raise the said sum of $30,000 by way of loan upon the credit of the Corporation of the City of Victoria:

And whereas a petition under section 69 of the Municipal Clauses Act has been presented to the Municipal Council, signed by the owners of more than one-tenth of the value of the real property in the City of Victoria as shewn by the last revised Assessment Roll, requesting the said Council to introduce a by-law with the hereinbefore recited objects:

And whereas the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for repaying the said debt and the interest thereon and for creating an annual sinking fund for paying the said debt within fifty years according to law is $1,460.00:

And whereas the whole rateable land and improvements or real property of the said Corporation of the said City of Victoria according to the last revised Assessment Roll for the year 1901 is $14,003,985.00:

And whereas it will require an annual rate of one ninth of a mill on the dollar for paying the new debt and interest:

And whereas this by-law may not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council:

Therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $30,000.00 currency or sterling money, at the rate of 4.86 2-3 dollars to the one pound sterling, and to cause all such sums as may be required, not exceeding however the sum of $30,000.00 either in currency or sterling money (at the rate of 4.86 2-3 dollars to the one pound sterling), each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000.00 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof:

3. The said debentures shall bear date the first day of August, 1901, and shall be made payable in fifty years from the said date at such place either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signatures of the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be expressed in the debenture and coupon.

5. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause the said debentures and the interest coupons, either or both, to be made payable at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or in the Dominion of Canada, as may be desired.

6. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation to dispose of the said debentures at a rate below par and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures all expenses connected with the preparation and lithographing of the debentures and coupons, or any discount or commission or other charges incidental to the sale of the said debentures.

7. If deemed advisable by the Mayor there shall in the said debentures be reserved to the Corporation the right upon any future consolidation of the debentures indebtedness of the City to substitute debentures of such consolidation secured upon the credit of the City generally. Such consolidated debentures shall contain the like covenants, conditions, and restrictions as are contained in the debentures issued in pursuance of this by-law, and in each debenture issued hereunder a clause conditioned for such substitution may be inserted.

8. For the purpose of raising annually the required sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency there shall be raised annually the sum of $6,000 and for the purpose of creating the sinking fund aforesaid for the payment off of the debt at maturity there shall be raised annually the sum of $1,330.00.

9. For the purpose of the payment of the said sums in the next preceding paragraph mentioned, there shall be raised and levied in each year a rate of five-eighths of a mill in the dollar on all the rateable land and improvements in the City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

10. This by-law shall, before the final passing thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the Municipal Clauses Act, and shall take effect on the third day of July, 1901.

11. This by-law may be cited as the "James Bay Mud Flats Reclamation By-law, 1901."

Passed the Municipal Council on the third day of June, 1901.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the Public Market Building, Cormorant street, for the North, Central, and South Wards, on Wednesday, the 26th day of June instant, that the poll will be kept open between the hours of eight o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., and that William Walter Northcott will be the Returning Officer to take the said vote.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, 11th June, 1901.

A BY-LAW.

RELATING TO JAMES BAY MUD FLATS.

Whereas the present state and condition of the James Bay Mud Flats is so unsanitary as to constitute a nuisance dangerous to health and the continuance of the said mud flats in their present state and condition constitutes a continuing and serious menace to the public health of the city:

And whereas the Council of the Corporation constitutes the Local Board of Health in and for the Municipality of the City of Victoria:

And whereas the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria have by resolution determined that the nuisance so existing shall be abated by the filling in of the said mud flats whereby permanent roads and highways may be constructed thereon:

And whereas the carrying out of the work mentioned will be $150,000, and it is desired by the Council of the Corporation to raise such sum by way of loan upon the credit of the Corporation of the City Victoria:

And whereas the whole rateable land and improvements or real property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria according to the last revised Assessment Roll for the year 1901 was $14,003,985.00:

And whereas the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt which will be created hereunder and the interest thereon and for creating an annual sinking fund for the payment off of the said debt within fifty years according to law is $7,320.00:

And whereas it will require an annual rate of five-eighths of a mill in the dollar for paying the new debt and interest:

And whereas a petition under section 69 of the Municipal Clauses Act has been presented to the Municipal Council signed by the owners of more than one-tenth in value of the real property in the City of Victoria as shewn by the last revised Assessment Roll, requesting the said Council to introduce a by-law with the objects herein appearing:

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2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $150,000.00 either in currency or sterling money (at the rate aforesaid,) each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

3. The said debentures shall bear date the first day of August, 1901, and shall be made payable in fifty years from said date at such place either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest coupons may be natures to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or in the Dominion of Canada, as may be expressed in the debenture and coupon.

5. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause the said debentures and the interest coupons, either or both, to be made payable at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or in the Dominion of Canada, as may be desired.

6. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation to dispose of the said debentures at a rate below par and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures all expenses connected with the preparation and lithographing of the debentures and coupons, or any discount or commission or other charges incidental to the sale of the said debentures.

7. If deemed advisable by the Mayor there shall in the said debentures be reserved to the Corporation the right upon any future consolidation of the debentures indebtedness of the City to substitute debentures of such consolidation secured upon the credit of the City generally. Such consolidated debentures shall contain the like covenants, conditions, and restrictions as are contained in the debentures issued in pursuance of this by-law, and in each debenture issued hereunder a clause conditioned for such substitution may be inserted.

8. For the purpose of raising annually the required sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency there shall be raised annually the sum of $6,000 and for the purpose of creating the sinking fund aforesaid for the payment off of the debt at maturity there shall be raised annually the sum of $1,330.00.

9. For the purpose of the payment of the said sums in the next preceding paragraph mentioned, there shall be raised and levied in each year a rate of five-eighths of a mill in the dollar on all the rateable land and improvements in the City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

10. This by-law shall, before the final passing thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the Municipal Clauses Act, and shall take effect on the third day of July, 1901.

11. This by-law may be cited as the "James Bay Mud Flats Reclamation By-law, 1901."

Passed the Municipal Council on the third day of June, 1901.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the Public Market Building, Cormorant street, for the North, Central, and South Wards, on Wednesday, the 26th day of June instant, that the poll will be kept open between the hours of eight o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., and that William Walter Northcott will be the Returning Officer to take the said vote.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, 11th June, 1901.

A BY-LAW.

Relating to the Construction of a New Bridge to Replace the Existing Point Ellice Bridge.

Whereas the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria has upon the petition hereinafter recited, determined to erect a new bridge at Point Ellice within the city in the place of the existing bridge structure.

And whereas the cost to the city of constructing the said bridge will be $75,000, and it is desired by the Council of the Corporation to raise such sum by way of loan upon the credit of the Corporation of the City of Victoria;

And whereas the whole rateable land and improvements or real property of the said corporation of the city of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll for the year 1901 was $14,003,985;

And whereas the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt which will be created hereunder and the interest thereon, and for creating an annual sinking fund for the payment off of the said debt within fifty years according to law, is $3,695;

And whereas it will require an annual rate of 3.10th of one mill in the dollar for paying the new debt and interest;

And whereas a petition under Section 69 of the Municipal Clauses Act has been presented to the Municipal Council signed by the owners of more than one-tenth in value of the real property in the City of Victoria, as shown by the last revised assessment roll, requesting the said council to introduce a by-law with the objects herein appearing;

And whereas this by-law may not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council;

Therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. The Corporation shall contribute the sum of $13,500 towards the cost of the said recited work of local improvement by ten equal payments on the days hereinafter provided for payment of the rate levied hereunder.

2. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $13,500 currency or sterling money, at the rate of 4.86 2-3 dollars to the one pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands

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THE WEATHER.



Meteorological Office, Victoria, June 11—8 p. m.

SYNOPSIS.

Two well marked depressions are centered in Northern British Columbia and Nevada respectively, and a trough of low pressure extends from Cariboo southward to Colorado and Utah. An area of high barometer lies off the North Pacific coast and east of the Rocky mountains also is a high area which is centered in Saskatchewan. There has not been much change in temperatures. Showers have been general throughout the Pacific slope and in the western sections of the Territories, and a heavy fall of 1.12 inches during the last 12 hours is reported from Havre, Montana.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	47	65
New Westminster	48	60
Kamloops	44	68
Calgary	40	46
Winnipeg	46	68
Portland, Ore	46	56
San Francisco, Cal	46	56

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time), Wednesday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate or fresh southerly winds, partly cloudy, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds partly cloudy, with occasional showers; temperature nearly stationary.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 11.

	Deg.		Deg.
5 a.m.	47	Mean	56
Noon	55	Highest	65
5 p.m.	60	Lowest	47

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m. ..... 8 miles southwest.
Noon. ..... 8 miles southwest.
5 p.m. ..... 12 miles southwest.

Average state of weather—Showery.
Rain—.11 inch.
Sunshine—4 hours .06 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed 30.066
Corrected 30.087

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected 30.06

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VICTORIA TIDES.

For the Month of June, 1901.

(Issued by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of the Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

The zero of the accompanying scale corresponds to the average lowest yearly tide, and 18.3 feet above the sill of the Esquimalt Dry Dock.

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120 meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot.

Date.	Day.	Time.	Ht.	Time.	Ht.	Time.	Ht.	Ht.	Time.
1	Sa	...0 11	8.3	8 40	1.6	18 32	7.1	19 43	7.4
2	S	...0 40	8.4	9 10	1.2	19 20	7.3	20 23	7.3
3	M.	..1 10	8.4	9 44	1.0	20 02	7.4	21 05	7.4
4	Tu	..1 38	8.4	10 21	0.8	20 36	7.5	21 50	7.5
5	W.	..2 05	8.3	11 01	0.9	20 58	7.5	22 45	7.4
6	Th	..2 35	8.0	11 43	1.2	21 06	7.4	.. ..	..
7	F	...0 16	7.2	3 11	7.5	12 27	1.7	20 57	7.4
8	Sa	..2 10	6.7	4 16	6.8	13 14	2.3	20 58	7.6
9	S	...				14 05	3.0	21 12	7.8
10	M	...4 30	4.9	9 28	5.5	14 58	3.9	21 36	8.1
11	Tu	..5 16	3.8	11 32	5.5	15 52	4.7	22 06	8.5
12	W.	..5 59	2.6	13 22	5.9	16 46	5.4	22 38	8.9
13	Th	..6 40	1.6	14 50	6.5	17 39	6.1	23 12	9.2
14	F	...7 20	0.7	15 58	7.0	18 32	6.7	23 49	9.4
15	Sa	...8 01	0.2	16 54	7.4	19 29	7.0	.. ..	..
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18	Tu	..1 59	8.9	10 06	0.6	18 48	7.8	22 29	7.0
19	W	..2 47	8.3	10 48	0.5	19 10	7.7	23 34	6.7
20	Th	..3 36	7.6	11 29	1.2	19 29	7.8	.. ..	..
21	F	...0 43	6.3	4 27	6.8	12 09	2.1	19 47	7.8
22	Sa	..2 16	5.8	5 29	5.9	12 59	3.0	20 09	7.8
23	S	...4 39	5.0	8 07	5.2	13 32	3.9	20 36	7.9
24	M	...5 32	4.2	10 34	5.0	14 16	4.7	21 07	8.0
25	Tu	...6 08	3.6	13 36	5.1	15 09	5.4	21 39	8.1
26	W	..6 34	3.0					22 11	8.2
27	Th	...5 57	2.6					22 42	8.3
28	F	...7 19	2.2					23 16	8.4
29	Sa	...7 43	1.8					23 37	8.5
30	S	...8 11	1.4					.. ..	..

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The cry went up, "They're off at last,"
And, speeding down the track then passed
A youth, who took and held the lead;
He rode a wheel renowned for speed.
THE RACYCLE.

Did he feel sad? Not much, you bet;
'Twas those behind had cause to fret;
A shout arose, "What does he ride?"
Ten thousand voices loud replied,
A RACYCLE.

"Beware! my son, be not too rash;
Beware! the awful strain and crash;"
This was the veteran's kindly hail.
The youth replied, "They never fail,
THESE RACYCLES.

"Oh, stay," the maiden said, "I'd like
To read the name upon your bike."
"Most certainly," the youth replied
'Tis as I thought, the maiden cried,
A RACYCLE.

There in the twilight cold they lay,
The vanquished champions of that day,
No chance had they to win a race
With bikes not built to keep the pace.
WITH A RACYCLE.

MORAL.

If I had a "bike" and it wouldn't go,
D'ye think I'd smash it? Oh, no, no;
I'd sell it cheap to some "wise guy"
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The sale will be subject to a charge of $4.00 per doz (quarts), and $2.25 per doz. (pints) for duty and warehouse charges, and will in other respects be without reserve. The retail price of the wine was $38.00 per case. Samples can be seen at time of sale.
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A WELL KNOWN OIL EXPERT, who has since joined the board of directors and under whose supervision the development work will be carried on, says:
In my opinion, oil in this locality will be found at a much less depth than in Southern California, also of a higher grade.
(Signed) GILBERT J. ROOTE, E. M.
San Francisco, Feb. 11, 1901.
Should this company strike Oil the shares will be as valuable as any in California, and some of them rose from $1.00 to $68 in a few weeks. The company has sufficient land to float ten companies, and the oil is of a very high grade.
Of course if the company give a guarantee that they would strike oil every one would be racing for the stock. The directors believe that they will. They have spent their own money on the property in that expectation. They now offer a limited amount of stock at a low price to help develop the ground.
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Victoria Commission Company Take Action Against Portland Broker.

Their Clients Out $26,000 By Failure of Cullison & Company.

Mr. William Christie, manager of the Victoria Commission company, who were representatives in Victoria of Messrs. Cullison & Co., the Portland stockbrokers, who failed a few days after the opening of the Victoria branch, is taking action in the Portland courts against Cullison, the head of the firm. It is stated that Cullison represented to Mr. Christie and his associates that he had connections in the east, and was in a position to pay any winnings made by Victoria clients, and it is now alleged that this statement was not in accordance with the facts, which were that he was not in a position to make good any losses. The figures mentioned by the Colonist last week in connection with the failure of this firm were under the mark. Instead of having some $14,000 of Victoria money, the firm had about $26,000, including both margins and profits, the profits representing the winnings of the few days that the Victoria office was open. On the day previous to the failure, Colonel Meincke alone put up $4,000 on margins, and he lost this besides some profits that were coming to him. Others lost considerable but it was made up principally of winnings, which they had allowed to stand.

A despatch received yesterday stated that the hearing of the charge against Cullison would come up in Portland today.

The Victoria Commission company are endeavoring to get an agency for a San Francisco firm.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE PROPOSED BRIDGE.

Sir: Unless I misinterpret Mr. Jeeves' letter in your issue of today, he is of opinion that Point Ellice bridge is safe for any load it may be called on to carry. Mr. Jeeves is a practical man and his opinion is entitled to consideration; but I would remind him that it is the civic authorities, and not your humble servant, who have thrown doubt upon the stability of the structure. The rule that not exceeding thirty passengers shall cross in a street car at any one time casts a shadow of suspicion upon the existing bridge, which it would require a ream of such letters as Mr. Jeeves' and mine to remove. It will be seen that those to whom are entrusted the safety of the royal party will not permit them to cross the bridge during the progress of the ceremony of reception. The question, therefore, recurs, Can a handsome steel structure be completed in time for the reception? Mr. Jeeves says not. I agree with him; but, surely, there was no harm in asking the question. But it is to be hoped that the new structure will be so far advanced as to permit of Their Royal Highnesses taking part in the ceremony of dedication to the public forever. May I not suggest that the bridge be named the "Duke of Cornwall" or the "Prince George," in commemoration of the royal visit?

The attention of your correspondent to the tramway company and the late bridge is neither nice nor correct. The company never laid a rail on the bridge until after they had had the opinion of their own and the government engineers that the structure was perfectly safe.

D. W. HIGGINS.

THEY PREFER DELAY.

Sir: It is high time that British Columbia should make its voice heard in assisting to obtain a just and speedy settlement of this Alaska boundary affair, which has been hanging fire so long, and which has been a source of loss to the province and annoyance to the people. Our neighbors are "calculating" on our good nature, and are imposing on us. One of their officers, who is said to have been some years engaged in the Coast survey in Alaska, has been interviewed recently in Seattle, and is credited with having given vent to the following stuff. He said: "We may regard the boundary as practically settled. * * * In laying out the provisional boundary, we took prominent points of the coast line, and measured inland ten leagues. There has been no complete line run. It is merely indicated by monuments in the valleys, where there are settlements. We Americans contended for the ten-league boundary and got it almost everywhere. The line is practically where the old treaty put it." Will it stay there? Well, every day makes it more probable that it will. Just think of all the thousands of American people settling on that frontier. The longer the dispute remains quiet, the more people will accumulate, until when a treaty comes to be made, these people and their friends all over the United States could exert such a pressure upon congress that it would not dare to give an inch of territory to Canada. It is a similar case with the settling of Oregon territory, and in this case, as in that, our advantage grows with the passage of time."

FAIR PLAY.

CLOSING BY-LAWS.

Sir: Is it not written in the chronicles of the Sheik Abdulla—the proselyte of Mahommed—how he was wont to tell with his disciples the parable of the overcunning fox? Did not that vixen, filled with affection for her offspring, anxiety for their welfare and a desire that they should perpetuate the species—did she not in order to preserve them from all harm, eat them! The Shiek has long been "blown about the desert dust," but history repeats itself; and the true tale of the fox is true, even to the present time, albeit that the form is somewhat changed.

Unlike they of Rome, the fathers of city of Victoria do not sit up all night and day to listen to the bad news messengers bring. They are more like the guardsman in Ouida's novel—they sleep on it. In their waking moments they invent weird laws. Their intentions may be of the best, but alas for the results. Please accept my apologies for this tautological preamble, for that which I am alluding to is the by-law prohibiting dry goods merchants from doing business after a certain hour, and it is here that the guardians of the city of Victoria emulate the fox of vorious history.

Now, if the object be to allow the employees time for recreation, why not make the law to read that all employees should be allowed to go at the hour specified; that if a man wishes to stay in his store to do business himself, he may do so, or he may employ other people for the later hours, or he may pay his employees overtime on a schedule arranged by the city council? Surely the welfare of an aggregate depends on the welfare of the units composing that aggregate.

The following translation of the prayer of the followers of Zoroaster, when driven from the dominion of the Shah, may convey the impression that I am weak in my Persian. Be that as it may, I have endeavored to make it literal:

"Oh Thou that sittest in high places, whose footstool is the moon and whose head resteth on the seven stars of the Plieades, grant to us, thy supplicants (worshippers of fire and honest merchants of the order of dry goods), thy sufferance, that we be not driven out from before Thee; for lo, oh Father of thy people, whose disconsolate sons are these thy Parsees, if thou sendest us forth from thee, thou makest thy land barren of all trade; and the heathen who dwell beyond the mountains who worship the Golden Eagle in the temple which they have called Seattle, will wax exceeding fat upon the profits which should be thine, because the profits should be thy servants'; and thy servants are thine."

Persia is not the empire that it was. The Parsees still wear the dint in their hats (the tale is that when forced to leave the land of the Shah, the hat of one of their priests fell off, and a Persian soldier put his foot into it), and while they wear it they say that Persia will never be a great nation—though whether this is due to that fact that the Persian dry goods merchants do not deal in this particular style of hat, and consequently do not have the trade that they once had, I am unable to say.

B. H. HURST.

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JUNE 15th, 1901, AT 2.30 P.M.

1 Bay Colt, Bandit—
2 years, by Little M (stake winner) from Heartease (stak winner) by x Kyrle Daly from Extut (stake winner and dam of 4 winners) by Virgil, etc.
2. Bay Colt x Ero Pro—
2 years, by Milford (stake winner) from x Eastern Lily (granddam of Indian Chief winner From 2,000 guineas) by Speculum from Lil Agnes (Ormonde's dam) by Macani.
3. Bay Filly Killeas—
2 years, by Little M from E'lysee (Elsie) winner San Franseo and B. C.) by Fellowcharm from Ella S. (Elsmore's dam) by x Glenelg, etc.
4. Brown Colt, Walle—
2 years, by Little Mid from xx Wandillah (never raced) by Waterloo (Queensland Derby and Leger) from Grace Darling (winner Caulfield cup and guineas and dam of whers) by The Diver, etc.
5. Chestnut Colt, Womah—
4 years, by xx Doncter (cup and handicap winner) from x Wandillah above.
6. Chestnut Filly, 1 yar—
Unnamed, by Little Mid from E'lysee above.
HALFBRED
7. Chestnut Filly, 1 yar—
By Little Mid from Trod, a trotting bred Mare.
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 will be shown under saddle and are warranted tried.
Lots 1, 2, 3 should mak good racing or polo ponies, and lot 2, a polo pony sire.
X. Means horses imported from England.
XX. Means horses imported from Australia.
Certificate of veterinary as to blemishes (if any) with each hse, but age and breeding only warrant. Certificate Registry American Stl Book for all except lot 7.
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Further particulars with catalogues and cards of admission will be issued at a future date.
JOSHUA DAVIES,
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NOTICE.
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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Wellington Colliery Company, Limited Liability, to authorize the increase of the amount of the capital stock of the company from one million to two million dollars, will be held at the office of the company, Store street, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 19th day of June next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated at Victoria, 16th May, 1901.
JAMES DUNSMUIR,
R. W. DUNSMUIR,
F. D. LITTLE.
Trustees of the Wellington Colliery Company, Limited Liability.

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RHEUMATIC CURE
TESTIMONIALS AND REFERENCES.
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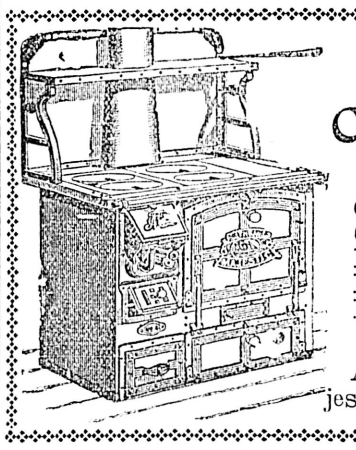
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